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MONTANA'S PRIDE.

The Famous Silver Statue Unveiled at the World's Fair.

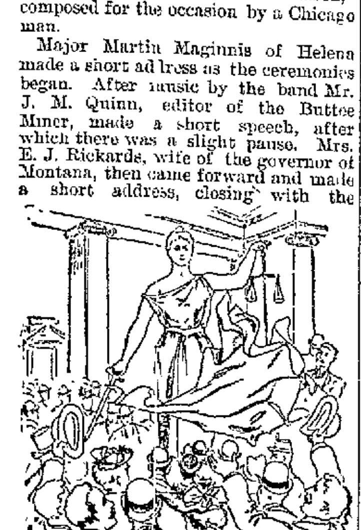
IS WORTH PROBABLY $300,000.

Miss Ada Rehan, the Model of the Statue, Not Present—Dishonest Gatemen Have Been Robbing the Fair—Foreign Exhibits May Be Withdrawn From Competition For Awards.

CHICAGO, May 31.—The pride of the Montana mining display—the silver statue of "Justice"—was unveiled in the mines and mining building in the presence of a tremendous crowd which, enthused by the sight of the handsome figure resting on its base of solid gold, sent up a cheer that echoed and re-echoed through the rafters of the big building. The ceremonies began shortly before 3 o'clock and were very brief.

Mr. W. M. Bickford, executive commander for Montana, was master of ceremonies. Brand's band of Cincinnati furnished the music, playing for the first time the "Silver Statue March," composed for the occasion by a Chicago man.

Major Martin Maginnis of Helena made a short address as the ceremonies began. After music by the band Mr. J. M. Quinn, editor of the Butte Miner, made a short speech, after which there was a slight pause. Mrs. E. J. Rickards, wife of the governor of Montana, then came forward and made a short address, closing with the



UNVEILING THE STATUE.

words: "Let justice with unbandaged eyes now grace the throne," she pulled the cord which loosed the veil, and the immense American flag enveloping the statue fell into the arms of six men waiting to receive it, as a great cheer went up from the onlookers.

The statue rests upon a plinth of solid gold which has for its base a block of ebony. Around the figure is a bronze railing. Rising from three sides are bronze poles supporting a maroon velvet canopy which gives the whole a particular throne-like appearance. The gold used in the plinth is valued at $230,000 and is from the "Spotted Horse" mine at Maiden, Fergus county, Mon. The silver represents an outlay of $70,000 and is the product of different Montana mines.

After the statue had been inspected by the guests the ropes were thrown aside and the public admitted. The invited guests were then taken in coaches to the Montana state building where a luncheon was served.

Miss Ada Rehan, the model of the statue, was invited and urgently requested to be present. However, the famous actress did not come, objecting on the ground that she would be an object of curiosity and comparison. She has deferred her visit to a more opportune time. Governor Rickards was not present, being detained in Montana by duty connected with the location of state educational institutions.

With the unveiling of the statue the Montana mining exhibit was opened for public inspection. It contains some handsome collections of silver crystals and gold ores and specimens, lead, copper, coal, iron and building stone mined in the state. A fine collection of gold ores and nuggets is expected to arrive in a few days, when they will be placed on exhibition.

The crowd Tuesday was a true exemplification of a holiday assemblage, and the fine weather that graced the morning gave a wholesome touch to Decoration day and rendered the enjoyment of the occasion complete in every way.

All modes of transportation were taxed early and the crowd, long before noon, was running in close competition to that of Sunday. But the multitudes did not move until afternoon. The closing of all downtown stores at noon sent the thousands of employes to the exhibition, and these, together with other visitors from far and near, swelled the crowd to about 60,000.

The evening was an "open" one, and as most of those on the grounds remained and were augmented by arrivals after dark to view the beauties of the illumination it is thought the 100,000 mark was approached, if not quite exceeded when the gates closed for the night.

The music which began at 10 o'clock in the open air was of a patriotic nature. The bands have continuous concerts until late into the evening and their programs were well compiled. The crowds about the bandstand were large and enthusiastic.

A life-size bust of John Macdonald, Canada's dead premier, has been placed in the Ontario exhibit in the mines and mining. The figure is in paraffine wax, and is an excellent copy of Hamilton McCarthy's marble bust of the dead statesman, which is to be erected in Canada.

Robbed by Gatemen.

CHICAGO, May 30.—Over half of the 140 turnstiles at the world's fair are out of order, and do not record the number of visitors who pass in the grounds. The bureau of admissions has been on the lookout, and already half a dozen gatemen have been discharged for attempting to steal tickets, and several are under arrest. It is believed many thousand tickets have been stolen.

Foreigners Still Displeased.

CHICAGO, May 31.—The executive committee on awards met in John Boyd Thacher's office in administration building. The awards matter and the complaints which have been received from time to time were thoroughly discussed. A letter was then sent to the foreign exhibitors refusing, it is understood, to recede from the position already taken by Mr. Thacher and maintaining that the present system of awards is the proper one. The letter was addressed to Mr. Arthur Loeffer, chairman of the foreign committee. This may result in the withdrawal of exhibits from competition for awards but no displays will be taken from the buildings.

FARNHAM POST.

Commander in Chief Weissert Tells Why It Was Fired Out.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The Times' Jacksonville (Fla.) special says:

General A. G. Weissert, national commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, was here on an official visit of inspection to the Florida department. In an interview he said he was surprised at the fuss and discussion by the Farnham post affair in New York city, which he explained had nothing to do with the position of the Grand Army of the Republic on the pension question, or its attitude toward the present federal administration.

Farnham post had its charter taken from it because when it promulgated those resolutions it acted in violation of the relations of Grand Army of the Republic, and defied the authority of the organization when the attention of its officers was called to that violation.

"Just to show how absurd is the criticism upon the action of the Grand Army of the Republic organization in this matter, I have only to cite to you another instance where the post followed the rule:

"In New York city there is a Grand Army of the Republic post which some of the boys called the high-toned post. It is named Lafayette, and when I was at Knoxville I found in my mail some resolutions passed by that post. To it belongs such veterans as Chauncey Depew, General Horace Porter, General O. O. Howard and other old soldiers of almost equal prominence. The resolutions were in the same line as those of Farnham post, but the Lafayette men had some respect for the order. They sent them to the proper office to get permission to promulgate, and such permission was duly endorsed by them. Then they reached me through the usual channel and I promptly endorsed them with my official approval. The same mailtrain which took to New York my sanction of the revoking of Farnham post charter took also to New my approval of a set of the same kind of resolutions passed by Lafayette post. It was simply a matter of observing discipline, you see."

As to the policy of the Grand Army of the Republic on the pension question General Weissert simply pointed to paragraph 8 of his general order No. 5, issued last January, as follows: "Every member of the order is solemnly obligated to encourage honor and purity in public affairs; it is, therefore enjoined upon comrades to report promptly to the commissioner of pensions, Washington, any known case where a pension is being received fraudulently."

A YOUNG GIRL MURDERED.

Massachusetts Comes to the Front With Another Diabolical Crime.

FALL RIVER, Mass., May 31.—The city is in a state of intense excitement due to the discovery of an atrocious murder. The victim was Miss Bertha Manchester, aged 22. Miss Manchester lived at a farmhouse, four miles from city hall, and was last seen alive about 7:30 o'clock Tuesday morning when her father, Stephen Manchester, left for this city accompanied by his son and hired boy, to deliver milk on his regular route. About 2 o'clock in the afternoon they arrived home. Freddy, his 12-year-old boy, ran ahead into the house to get something to eat. He opened the kitchen door, and saw his murdered sister lying in a pool of blood on the floor. He ran back to the barn and told his father, who immediately notified the police.

A hasty examination was made and a bloody ax was found in a wood pile near the back fence. The examination of the body disclosed a horrible condition. The young girl was lying close to the stove. Her right leg was drawn under the body, her clothes were partially drawn from her hips, and her head and face were frightfully mutilated.

It is considered certain that if the murderer is discovered he will be lynched.

OFF FOR HOGG ISLAND.

President Cleveland Leaves Washington For a Few Days' Fishing.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—President Cleveland, accompanied by L. Clark Davis of Philadelphia, left Washington for Hogg island over the Pennsylvania railroad at 5:10 Tuesday afternoon. There were no other persons in the party except a colored porter. The president's determination is to return to Washington Saturday evening. The president arrived at the depot at 5:30 and made his way, accompanied by Mr. Davis and a valet carrying his handsatchel, to his car almost unnoticed. He was enveloped in a gray linen duster, and wore a gray slouch hat pulled down almost over his eyes and would have passed unrecognized by his nearest friend. Upon reaching the car he took a seat near the door, Mr. Davis sitting opposite. He lit a Havana cigar, and, with his back to the window, sent smoke curling out the rear door of the car, which was left open. Hundreds of people passed, but no one besides the depot officials and a watchful reporter seemed to be aware of the presence of the president of the United States.

Distinguished Indiana Lawyer Dead.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., May 31.—Hon. Dan B. Kumler, aged 47, died after four weeks' suffering with rheumatism. He was a leading attorney of southern Indiana, was a presidential elector for the state at large in 1880, and a Grant elector in 1872 from the First congressional district. For several years he has been attorney for the Louisville and Nashville railroad. He leaves behind the largest and most lucrative practice of any lawyer in Indiana, outside of Indianapolis. He had been a sufferer with rheumatism for several years. He was not a member of any secret society.

Cleveland Going to the Adirondacks.

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., May 31.—President Cleveland's cottage at Saranac Inn has been completely renovated. It is stated upon good authority that President Cleveland will occupy it during July.

Indications.

Light showers; light winds.

THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Cattle Markets For May 30.

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—60@66c.
CORN—34@48c.
WOOL—Unwashed fine merino, 15@16c; ¼blood clothing, 19@20c; braid, 15@16c; medium combing, 20@21c; washed fine merino X and XX, 25@26c; medium combing, 27@28c.
CATTLE—Selected butchers, $4 60@5 00; fair to good, $3 50@4 50, common, $2 50@3 25.
HOGS—Select heavy and prime butchers, $7 30@7 45; fair to good packing, $7 30@7 45; common to rough, $6 75@7 25.
SHEEP—$2 75@5 40
SPRING LAMBS—$5 00@7 60.

Pittsburg.

CATTLE—Prime, $5 00@5 60, good, $5 00@5 50; good butchers', $4 25@4 75; rough fat, $4 00@4 50, fair light steers, $3 50@3 60; good fat cows and heifers, $3 25@4 00, bulls and stags, $3 00@3 50; fresh cows and springers, $25 00@40 00; bologna cows, $10 00@15 00.
HOGS—Philadelphias, $7 55@7 60, good mixed, $7 45@7 50; Yorkers, $7 30@7 40; pigs, $6 75@7 00.
SHEEP—Extra, $5 30@5 40; good, $4 80@5 10, fair, $3 15@4 40; common, $3 00@3 00, yearlings, $3 00@5 00.
LAMBS—$4 00@6 40.

Chicago.

HOGS—Heavy, $7 30@7 40; packers, $7 15@7 30; common to rough, $6 75@7 15; light, $7 00@7 40.
CATTLE — Prime steers, $5 50@6 00; others, $4 00@4 25; mixed, $2 25@4 50.
SHEEP—$3 75@5 25.
LAMBS—$5 00@7 35.

New York.

WHEAT—June, 75¼@75¾c.
CORN—48¾@49¼c
OATS—Western, 30¾@47c.
CATTLE—$2 50@5 65.
SHEEP—$4 25@5 50.
SPRING LAMBS—$7 00@8 50.

MONEY IS SCARCE.

Italy Threatened With a Financial Crisis

WHICH GROWS WORSE DAILY.

The Revival of Forced Paper Currency Believed to Be Inevitable—Dynamiter James Gilbert Released From Prison. Michael Davitt Has No Estate—Other News From Over the Ocean.

ROME, May 31.—The monetary situation grows worse. The scarcity of silver is paralyzing trade, and the revival of forced paper currency is believed to be inevitable. The parliamentary commission appointed to investigate the reported complicity of Italian senators and deputies in the scandals relating to the Banca Romanca and other financial institutions has resigned on the ground that the chamber of deputies made valid the election of Ogniglia, an opposition deputy, contrary to the advice of the commission. The weakness of the newly reconstructed cabinet is aggravated by this resignation.

Has No Estate to Levy On.

DUBLIN, May 31.—It was announced in the Dublin court of bankruptcy that there was not estate to meet the claim against Michael Davitt, late member of parliament for Northeast Cork, and previously member of parliament for North Meath, who was compelled to go into bankruptcy on account of his inability to meet the costs of the proceedings successfully instituted against him by P. Mahoning, his Parnellite antagonist in the North Meath election to deprive him of that seat, on the ground that clerical intimidation had been used in Davitt's behalf. It appears that the cottage which Mr. Davitt occupies is the property of Mrs. Davitt, and can not therefore be touched in the bankruptcy proceedings.

Dynamiter Released.

LONDON, May 31.—James Gilbert, who was sentenced in 1885 to penal servitude for life for having caused a dynamite explosion at the Tower and houses of parliament, was released from Portland prison Tuesday. The departure from Portland prison was managed with such strict observance of secrecy that it was difficult to establish the identity of the released convict. He was accompanied by a Catholic priest and a nurse and left with them for Weymouth station in a closed carriage. Upon arrival at the station the party immediately boarded the 4:50 train for London. The sole reason for Gilbert's release is said to be the breaking down of his health.

Here's What The Times Says.

LONDON, May 31.—The Times says in a leader on the Geary law: "Even if the three Chinese arrested in New York be expelled, which probably is the furthest extent to which the exclusion act will be carried, the Chinese government will do well to shut its eyes to so minute a grievance and not to commit the tactical blunder of offering defiance likely to check the generous impulses of the American people."

Lafayette's Tomb Unveiled.

PARIS, May 31.—About 500 persons, largely Americans, were present at the decoration of the tomb of Marquis de Lafayette, in honor of his service to the cause of American independence. The remains of the Marquis de Lafayette are interred in the cemetery of Picpus, at Vincennes, which contains the tombs of some of the oldest families in France, and also the graves of 1,300 victims of the Reign of Terror.

One Steps Out, the Other In.

BERLIN, May 31.—The Hon. Theodore Runyon, American minister to Germany was officially received at the foreign office at midday Tuesday. The Hon William Walter Phelps, the late American minister, bade official farewell at the same time. The wedding of his daughter, Miss Marion Phelps to Dr. Franz Von Rottenburg, under secretary of the interior, will take place on Thursday next.

A Protest Against German Rule.

COPENHAGEN, May 31.—A meeting attended by 135 delegates held at Aarhuus in Denmark, has promulgated a manifesto protesting against German rule in Schleswig. The meeting was attended by great enthusiasm, and showed that the feeling of attachment to Denmark is still very strong in the province which was taken from her by Prussia.

Italian Civil Marriage Law.

ROME, May 31.—Signor Bona, the author of the proposed civil marriage law, has received a letter from Prime Minister Gladstone urging the wisdom of adopting the English system, giving complete individual liberty as to civil and religious marriages.

Gladstone's Assailant Indicted.

LONDON, May 31.—The grand jury has found a true bill against William Townsend, the individual arrested recently on suspicion of intending to kill Mr. Gladstone. Townsend will be tried at the Old Baily, probably on Thursday next.

Denies That He is an Ambassador.

ROME, May 31.—The Secolo having stated that American Minister Potter had been raised to the rank of ambassador, Mr. Potter authorizes a denial that the statement is true.

Hamburg Has Filtered Water.

HAMBURG, May 31.—This city was supplied for the first time with water from the new filter beds. The connections of mains with the waters of the Elbe have been cut.

More Earthquakes in Greece.

ATHENS, May 31.—Repeated earthquakes are doing great damage to property in Thebes.

CIRCUS TRAIN WRECKED.

Five Men Killed and Several Injured. Animals Loose.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 31. — Walter Main's circus was wrecked on the Tyrone and Clearfield branch of the Pennsylvania railroad at Vail station, five miles north of Tyrone, Tuesday morning. As far as can be ascertained, five persons were killed and 10 injured. The circus was en route to Lewiston. The engineer lost control of the train going down the mountain and it jumped the track, when going at a speed of 40 miles per hour, throwing the 14 cars over a 14-foot embankment. The most of the animals are badly hurt and a number escaped to the woods. Some are still at large. The train was badly wrecked.

The wild animals got out from the demolished cages. Two injured sacred oxen were killed to put them out of their misery. A tiger killed a cow of Alfred Thomas, a farmer, whose wife was milking the cow at the time. Thomas killed the tiger with a rifle.

Three lions escaped. One was captured immediately and another was lassoed and tied to a tree after biting the lassoer, James Chambers, severely on the hand. The other lion is still at large.

A tiger, water buffalo, hyena, bear, alligators and a large collection of snakes got away, but were captured. The elephants and camels were uninjured. A black panther, silver tiger, a lot of monkeys and valuable birds are at large. Almost every ring horse was killed. The total number of horses killed are 40, with all the others cut and bruised.

Killed.

William Henry, brakeman, of Tyrone.
William Lock of Newport, Ky.
William Mullainey of Gainesville, O.
Frank Train of Indianapolis.
John Slayer of Houtsdale, Pa.

Injured.

James Chambers, colored, Chambersburg, Pa., bit severely by lion.
Willis O. Brannon, Chambersburg, wound of scalp.
Arthur Ruchards, Peachville, Pa., wounded about the face.
George Corlin, Hollidaysburg, Pa., contusion of chest.
Frank Barrett, Tarantum, contusion left arm.
David Jones, Harrisburg, sprained leg.
Frank Morse, Rochester, N. Y., wounded about the head.
William Evans, Williamstown, right ankle injured.
William Patchet, Dubois, contusion of left knee.
James Haney, Albert, Pa., badly injured about body.
An unknown man called "Barney."

Accident to a "Flyer."

DENVER, May 31.—The Chicago "Flyer" on the Burlington road was run into by an engine near the city limits. The side of the chaircar was crushed through by the engine and the seats inside crushed. Three persons were seriously injured.

George H. Sherlock, express messenger, of Denver, jumped from his car when he saw the crash was inevitable. He was picked up unconscious. His shoulder was broken and he was frightfully scalded by steam.

C. K. Wilkinson of Chicago was seriously but not fatally injured.

Mrs. Watson of Colfax, near this city, internally injured.

Trouble Brewing in New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 31.—The grand jury has created another sensation in this city by a scathing arraignment of the municipal and police authorities for laxity in the enforcement of the gambling laws. They also recommend the repeal of the law permitting prize fighting.

BICYCLING EVENTS.

Ten Thousand People Witness the Irvington-Milburn Road Race.

IRVINGTON, N. J., May 31.—Fully 10,000 people witnessed the start of the Irvington-Milburn road race, in which there were 143 contestants. It is estimated there were 4,000 wheels along the course on Springfield avenue. The contest was a spirited race. The race was won by Carl Von Langerk of Newark in 1 18:31.

Raced in the Mud.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 31.—John Gilttner of Hutchinson, Ky., won the Blue Grass Cycle company's race here. The race was between Winchester and Lexington, 16 miles. The time prize went to S. B. Hedges of Tyrone, he going the distance in 62 1-4 minutes. Gilther was next. His time was 67 1-2 minutes. J. C. Moore was third, Noland fourth. Seventeen out of 40 starters finished. The road was very muddy.

Zimmerman Won Easily.

PARIS, May 31.—A. A. Zimmerman, the noted bicyclist of the New York Athletic club, easily won the mile amateur bicycle race at the Buffalo Velodome, but failed to lower the record.

Pullman Cyclers.

PULLMAN, Ills., May 31.—M. Nelson won the Pullman bicycle road race here in 55 1-2 minutes, J. F. Gunther second and J. R. Cheasboro third.

RICHMOND CROWDED

With Visitors to Attend the Davis Reinterment Ceremonies.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The following was received from Richmond Tuesday evening:

People are arriving on every train from all over the country to attend the ceremony of the reinterring of Jefferson Davis. The day will be observed as a general holiday. Governor McKenney and staff, accompanied by the Richmond Light Infantry Blues, left this evening for Danville to meet the funeral train and escort it to Richmond.

Eulalie at Grant's Tomb.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The Princess Eulalie and her party visited Grant's tomb Tuesday afternoon. Without ceremony of any kind the princess placed a beautiful wreath of flowers on the door of the tomb. She was then driven back to the hotel.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Short Items From Various Parts of the Country.

Decoration day was observed with the usual ceremonies all over the United States.

Harry Trogden is on trial at Brazil, Ind., for the fourth time for the murder of Gills Sanders during a dispute.

The nineteenth annual regatta of the Passaic River Amateur Rowing association took place at Newark, N. J.

For the fourth time this year East Carondelet (Ills.) cellars are full of water owing to the high water in the Mississippi.

Several skeletons were exhumed by workmen in a gravel pit near Goshen, Ind. When the bodies were originally buried is unknown to the oldest inhabitant.

President Cleveland is an ardent friend of the Nicaragua canal project, as was shown by his letter of acceptance, and will look after the interests of Americans in that section.

Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr., was married to Dr. W. T. Bull in New York. But few were present. The wedding was the consummation of a courtship begun when Mrs. Blaine was so seriously ill. Dr. Bull was her physician. He is young and well-to-do.

The house of William Korth, situated at the foot of a high embankment on the Grand river near Chagrin Falls, O., was completely demolished by a landslide. The family escaped with bad bruises. They are destitute. All the farming implements and the outhouses were carried away.

Base Ball.

MORNING.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 9; Baltimore, 1.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 2; Cleveland, 1.
At New York—New York, 6; Cincinnati, 8.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 3; Louisville, 0.
At Boston—Boston 10, Chicago, 4
At Washington—Washington, 10; St. Louis, 7.

AFTERNOON.

At Boston—Boston, 3; Chicago, 1.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 6; Louisville, 2.
At New York—New York, 2; Cincinnati, 3.
At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 10; Baltimore, 3.
At Washington—Washington, 9; St. Louis, 6.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 12; Cleveland, 3.

Four Cases of Smallpox.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Four cases of smallpox were discovered by a health board inspector in the family of William V. Volpken, a Bohemian, at 1505 Avenue A. No doctor had attended the children. In the same district a few days ago four other cases of concealed smallpox were discovered by a health officer.

The Official Report
of the Ohio State
Food Commission
shows that, while
Royal Baking Powder is Pure,
No other baking powder tested contained less than 10% of impurities.
"I regard the Royal among the best cream of tartar baking powders made."
Gen. [signature] Hurst
Late Ohio State Food Commissioner.
All other baking powders leave traces of alkali or acid in the food.
Royal is indispensable where finest, most wholesome food is required.

OHIO STATE NEWS.

Dispatches From Different Buckeye Towns.

ANTI-CATHOLIC PROTEST.

Plea for Stopping a Priest's Services in the Penitentiary.

COLUMBUS, O., May 31.—It is currently reported that objection is to be made to the holding of Catholic services in the penitentiary. The Anti-Catholic society is, it is stated, about to make a request that an order be issued by the authorities prohibiting the holding of any services in the penitentiary other than those that are held by the regular chaplain, who is appointed by the board of managers and paid by the state.

Rev. Father O'Leary is the priest who holds Catholic services at the penitentiary. He gathers the prisoners who are Catholics in the schoolroom, where a plain altar has been erected. The services are held early, and afterwards the Catholic prisoners are marched into the chapel along with the others, where they are obliged to pay attention to the regular services.

State Board of Arbitration.

COLUMBUS, O., May 31.—A special from Xenia says: Judge Selwyn N. Owen of Columbus has been selected as the third member of the board of arbitration. The three members—ex-Congressman John Little, Joseph Bishop and Judge Owen—met here and organized by electing Judge Owen president and Mr. Bishop secretary. The meeting was secret and an attempt was made to keep what was done from the public, but when asked the direct question, Mr Little gave the matter out. Judge Owen was on the supreme bench from 1883 to 1888.

Short $25,000.

ASHLAND, O., May 31.—A telephone message from Loudonville says that J. L. Quick, cashier of the Loudonville Banking company, is short $25,000. The bank will lose nothing, as it has secured judgment against Quick for $10,000, and his property is worth $18,000. Quick is short because he indorsed largely for his brother, Cyrus Quick, who recently lost a large sum by the burning of a stable and several valuable horses. Cashier Quick also dealt largely in New York stocks and lost there. He is still in Loudonville, and his affairs are being adjusted.

Ex-Secretary Foster's Creditors.

FOSTORIA, O., May 31.—At a meeting of the creditors of ex-Governor Foster at the opera house, resolutions of sympathy were adopted. The creditors agree to accept 50 per cent in payment of their claims. A committee of 10 of the principal creditors was appointed to carry out any plan agreed upon. The statement was made, upon authority of Mr. Foster, that he could pay 50 per cent, and if God spared his life he would pay every cent.

Lost a Foot.

WAYNESVILLE, O., May 31.—Will Gibbs of Lytle, night watchman at the stone quarries at Centerville, was run down by a locomotive and his foot was cut off. He was formerly fireman of a passenger train on the Cincinnati, Lebanon and Northern railroad. He is at home in Lytle in a precarious condition.

Tired of Life.

WAYNESVILLE, O., May 31.—Mount Holly, four miles from this place, is all torn up over the attempted suicide by the morphine route of "Doc" Smith, a prominent citizen. He was discovered in a comatose condition, and with great difficulty was saved. Home troubles caused him to attempt the deed.

Man and Money Gone.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., May 31.—Curtis Perdue, treasurer of the local lodge of the Knights of Maccabees, has disappeared, together with all the funds of the order, amounting to several thousand dollars.

It Was Heart Disease.

XENIA, O., May 31.—The coroner finds that John McNealus, the Little Miami brakeman who was drowned while fishing, fell in while suffering from heart disease.

Poisoned by Bad Meat.

CHILLICOTHE, O., May 31.—The family of William Snyder was poisoned by bad meat and not by arsenic as reported.

Mexico's Liquor Tax.

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The secretary of state is informed by the legation at Mexico that the Mexican congress has passed a decree suspending, for two years, ending June 30, 1895, execution of the law of Dec. 10, 1892, which imposes a stamp tax on alcoholic liquors —but that the new law authorizes the executive (at his pleasure) during that period, to tax such liquors in any other manner. The import duties on spirits imported into Mexico appear to remain at the same rate as before.

LITTLE ROCK, May 31.—Southern Arkansas was visited by a destructive storm Tuesday night, houses, fences and trees being blown away. The hotel at Guernsey, Hempstead county, was demolished and seven persons were injured, all fatally. All wires in the southern part of the state are prostrated and the extent of the storm can not be ascertained.

Will Be Launched June 10.

PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—The United States battleship Massachusetts will be launched from Cramp's shipyard on June 10. She is an exact counterpart of the Indiana, which left the ways last February.

Octogenarian Dead.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 31.—C. C. Sturtevant, the octogenarian secretary of the chamber of commerce is dead. He was the last one of the 40 persons who rode on the first railroad train that ever ran in Illinois. He had been secretary of the chamber of commerce 15 years.

Left the Buggy and Harness.

HUNTINGTON, Ind., May 31.—Vern Harding, a young country lad, called on his girl. While he was enjoying himself somebody unhitched his horse and drove it away, leaving the buggy and harness. No clew.

Revolution Sons.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The annual meeting of the New York Society of the Sons of the American Revolution was held at the office of the President, Chauncey M. Depew, in the Grand Central station. This organization is a rival of the other society of the Sons of the Revolution. The president's report showed that the society now had a total membership of 334. Its organization is extending rapidly.

Hit With a Hammer.

COLUMBUS, Ind., May 31.—Wiley St. John, a carpenter, struck Charles Hum, also a carpenter, upon the head with a hammer, inflicting a wound which will cause Hum's death.

A Girl Victim of Hydrocephalus.

Quite a freak of human nature passed through the Union depot last night. The creature was similar in deformity to "Big Head Willie," the St. Louis newsboy. In this instance, however, the large head reposed on the thin and slender frame of an 11-year-old girl. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Vick, who were on their way from Peirce City, Mo., to Cookville, Tenn. Four other children accompanied them, all healthy and strong. Nellie, the unfortunate girl, was the first born and has been in her present condition since birth. She is unable to hold her unusually large head erect and must be carried in her father's arms. Her head measures 36 inches in circumference and is as round as a ball. The length from the chin to the forehead is 12 inches. The neck is thin and in proportion to her body. The child has been treated for dropsy of the brain by scores of doctors. She speaks the English language fluently and can sing well. The child's body is poorly developed.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Dastardly Work of Schoolgirls.

Five girls belonging to the junior class, and who all lived at Monnett Hall, the ladies' seminary at Delaware, O., recently formed a class fraternity known as Iota Nu. The society held their meetings in the rooms of the girls. On Wednesday night, while the five members were holding a secret meeting in the bedroom of one of their members about midnight, nearly 20 of their classmates burst in upon them.

A reception was to be held the following night. A solution of nitrate of silver had been obtained, and with this powerful caustic pictures and letters were drawn upon the fair bosoms and naked arms of the bevy of pretty damsels. Only by wearing high necked dresses and long sleeves could the disfiguring marks be concealed. The caustic produced black scars and wounds upon the tender breasts of the girls.—Cor. New York World.

An Artist's Soul.

Mr. Newritch (to the dealer in artistic plaster casts)—What is most beautiful of all your statues?

The Dealer—The Venus de Medici.

Mr. Newritch—Well, let me have a dozen Venus de Medisighs, then. I want to trim up my front yard.—Chicago News.

Seven hundred tons of butter arrived in London in one shipment from Australia two weeks ago. Its total value was about $340,000.

Tiburzi, an uncaptured Italian bandit, died of old age recently. He had been sentenced to death 37 times.

Journalism In Japan.

Journalism in Japan appears to be surrounded by some stern restrictions, the desirability of abolishing or amending which has lately been occupying the attention of the Japanese parliament. In Europe when newspapers offend against the law fines are inflicted on the editor, writer, printer or publisher, as the case may be. But in Japan it appears that the journalists begin by paying a fine, though the amount may possibly be returned to them in course of time, for that is the practical result of depositing sums of money with the authorities varying from 350 to 1,000 yen yearly as evidence of good faith. If fines are inflicted at any rate of less than the amount of the deposit, there can be no question of nonpayment.

A motion was made to abolish this deposit, as also the power of the government to suspend a paper which published anything calculated to disturb the public peace, but the right of suspension was retained by 81 votes to 48, and as to the desirability of demanding the security the house was unanimous. It was explained that the house felt the necessity of keeping some check on "irresponsible agitators unfit to wield journalistic influence," and there is a good deal to be said for the contention. "Women's rights" advocates will be extremely offended at one amendment which was accepted. No woman is allowed to become an editor or publisher in Japan.—London Standard.

Causes of Russian Influence In Asia.

A policy led by humanitarian principles, or dictated in accordance with the taste and exigencies of a free and constitutional nation, is a sign of weakness in eastern eyes, and the English, who twice evacuated Afghanistan, without being obliged to do so, are looked upon by the Asiatic either as fools or as a nation incapable to lend sufficient power to its will. There is another fact which should not be overlooked in our comparison of England's conquests in Asia with those of her northern rival.

The exploits of the British armies on the Indian peninsula have become very little known in the Mohammedan world, for the good Moslems are in general ignorant about their coreligionists in India, but the Russian victories, trumpeted in all directions, have become the subject of bazaar gossip in the most distant regions of the east.

The fame of Russian valor having been flashed abroad it is natural that the Mohammedans, overawed, should turn their eyes toward the so called invincible enemy. Their admiration increased the more they heard of the affable and friendly manners and customs of the Russians, of whom it is said that they do not betray pride and haughtiness like the commonality of unbelievers and that there are many points of resemblance between them and the Mohammedans. There really is some truth in those assertions.—Vambery in National Review.

WHERE TO BUY.

The sale of seats for the Elks Columbian Minstrels will open Friday Morning, June 2, at Melville's drug store. 3t

Pure Water. Pure Water for family use. Send orders to E. Christen, sole agent for Americus Waukesha Water.

The auction sale of boxes for the Elks Columbian Minstrels will be held in the City Book Store Thursday evening, June 1, at 7:30 o'clock. 92-3t

For Bargains go to the Assignee Sale 168 Main street. 16 tf

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received by the clerk of the city of Lima, Ohio, until 12 o'clock M. Monday June 12, 1893, at the city clerk's office, for the curbing, guttering and side stoning of Spring street from Metcalf street to Pierce street according to plans and specifications on file in the office of the city clerk; work to be done under his direction and to the acceptance of the city council. Bidders shall use the printed form which will be furnished on application at the office of city civil engineer.

Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. R. DOUGLASS, City Clerk.

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AN ORDINANCE.

Providing for the Special Improvement of McDonald street, from Spring street to Wayne street, by Curbing, Guttering and Side-stoning.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Lima, Ohio, two-thirds of all members concurring, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the improvement of McDonald street from Spring street to Wayne street in the city of Lima, Ohio, be proceeded with in compliance with a petition of the property owners therefor and in further compliance with the terms and provisions of a resolution heretofore passed on the 1st day of May, 1893.

SECTION 2. That the cost and expenses when ascertained shall be paid in accordance with the terms and provisions of said resolution in six semi-annual installments and the first installment thereof shall be due and payable between the first day of October and the first day of November, in the year of 1893 and at a time specific and certain to be designated and fixed by the assessing ordinance hereafter to be passed.

SECTION 3. That in anticipation of the collection of such assessments the Mayor and Clerk shall and are hereby authorized and directed to issue improvement bonds to be known and designated as McDonald street improvement bonds of the city of Lima, Ohio, which bonds shall be converted into cash and used for the purpose of paying the costs and expenses incident to said improvement, and for no other purpose, provided always that if before the final delivery of said bonds to the purchaser any of the property owners shall pay the full amount of their semi annual installments in cash to the Treasurer less the interest included therein the amount so paid shall be applied to the cost and expense of said improvement, and the bonds shall be issued and delivered for the unpaid remainder of the total amount to be provided.

SECTION 4. Said bonds to be issued shall be in denominations of not more than one hundred dollars and shall be advertised and sold at not less than par value and the city shall reserve the right to deliver a less amount of bonds than are actually advertised and the date of their maturity shall be calculated from and after the first day of July A. D. 1893, and the rate of interest shall not exceed 6 per cent per annum payable semi-annually.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed May 29th, 1893.

D. E. JONES, President of Council.
WM. ROBERTS, City Clerk. 92-2t.

AN ORDINANCE

To Improve West Spring Street From Metcalf Street to Pierce Street, by Curbing Guttering and Side-stoning the Same.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Lima, Ohio, two-thirds of all members concurring, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the improvement of Spring street from Metcalf street to Pierce street, in the City of Lima, Ohio, be proceeded with in compliance with a petition of the property owners therefor, and in further compliance with the terms and provisions of a resolution heretofore passed on the 10th day of April, A. D., 1893

SECTION 2 That the costs and expenses when ascertained shall be paid in accordance with the terms of the resolution heretofore passed, and the first semi-annual installment of said assessment shall be due and payable before the first day of September, in the year 1893, and at a time specific and certain to be designated and fixed by the assessing ordinance hereafter to be passed.

SECTION 3 That in anticipation of the collection of such assessments the Mayor and Clerk shall and are hereby authorized and directed to issue improvement bonds to be known and designated as West Spring Street improvement bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio, which bonds shall be converted into cash and used for the purpose of paying the costs and expenses incident to said improvement and for no other purpose, provided always that if before the final delivery of said bonds to the purchaser, any of the property owners shall pay the full amount of their semi-annual installments in cash to the Treasurer less the interest included therein, the amount so paid shall be applied to the payment of the costs and expenses of said improvement and the bonds shall be issued and delivered for the unpaid remainder of the total amount to be provided. Said bonds to be issued shall be in denominations of not more than One Hundred Dollars, and shall be advertised and sold at not less than par value, and the city shall reserve the right to deliver a less amount of bonds than are actually advertised, and the date of their maturity shall be calculated from and after the date of July 1st, 1893, and the rate shall not exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually.

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A PROMISING INSTITUTION.

The laying of the corner stone of the college yesterday was one of the most important events happening in this city for years, in that it was the veritable beginning of a system of education that will extend its influence through the centuries to come. This new institution is beautifully located, and the men at its head are energetic, brainy and progressive, and they are determined to make it a success. In their most laudable undertaking they should have the support of all.

The announcement that a way has been found to apply electric lights to the interior of the living human body, so as to make any part of it transparent, suggests that electricity may yet prove to be the "giftie" given us to see ourselves as others see us.

An ordinance compelling owners of cows to lead them to and from pasture, in order to preserve the lawns about town is all right in its intent; but wouldn't it be just as reasonable to compel property owners with exposed lawns, and without cows, to build a fence around their lawns?

Brother Wanamaker's preacher has started a boom for him for President, and a fellow who gives up four hundred thousand dollars to elect some one else can be an important factor in Republican politics. This statement is made as a bit of early advice to Harrison, Alger, Foraker, and a few others having the bee in their bonnet.

The electoral canvass proceeds quietly in France, and without unusual portent; and it is therefore a safe conclusion that France will stand by the Republic, and no marked change will be wrought in the Chamber of Deputies. In other words, the outlook is for peace and stability, both of which beneficent conditions are needed to insure recuperation from the effects of the Panama upheaval.

The latest and most pronounced fake is the one a few unthinking Republican editors are trying to work off on the public. Their story is that Foster's failure was due to the Democratic administration. Mr. Foster refuted this himself when he said in his statement to the public that he knew it was coming while he was the Republican Secretary of the Treasury, and that it was largely due to indorsing for friends and corporations for the purpose of advancing the interests of Fostoria.

A Comfortable Ride After Working Hard.

While strolling past the war department one evening I witnessed a little scene that was amusing if not strictly newsy. A small sized army of charwomen and sweepers, who are employed to clean that large building, were starting homeward, having completed their task for the day. It was raining at the time, and several of the women, white and colored, were without umbrellas. One of the colored women was just about to cross the avenue when a magnificent team of horses drawing an elegant coupe dashed around the corner from Seventeenth street. The driver instantly recognized the colored woman as one of his friends—perhaps she was his "steady company."

He pulled up to the sidewalk and volunteered to give her a ride home. She at once accepted the invitation and jumped into the carriage and rolled away, amid the envious looks of her less fortunate associates. Her attire was not appropriate to the lining of the coupe, but that "didn't make no never mind" to her. The carriage is owned by one of the wealthiest families in Washington, and it is probable they are not aware that their coachman was "seeing Nellie home" on that particular occasion.—Washington Post.

Turkish newspapers have received the sultan's permission to recommence publication in the morning. Orders that all journals should be afternoon issues were recently issued, because, it was surmised, morning issues required the press censor to arise too early or else sit up too late.

The most important thing to make a visit to the World's fair a complete success is to study up things beforehand. Make out a programme before you come of how much and what you will do each day, allowing yourself plenty of time for rest as you go along.—Chicago Letter.

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Commander Dean.

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The Cost of Giving "Art" Performances.

There are rumors that the New York Theater of Arts and Letters has been losing money heavily, the total expenditure up to date being figured out as amounting to some $45,000. Of course no one could have expected that the recent "tour" to Boston and elsewhere would be a success, because the number of those who want to see dull plays, even for art's sake, is limited. But $45,000 is an enormous amount to lose, especially in the case of a company where the expenses could not have been very heavy, and there are still debts, it is said, some of the actors not having even yet received the salaries due them.—New York Cor. Providence Journal.

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Spiritualistic Seances Are "Shows."

Judge Thomas of the District of Columbia supreme court has delivered an opinion to the effect that spiritualistic seances must be placed in the category of theatrical shows and entertainments, and that therefore they are subject to the imposition of a license tax. The ground for this opinion is said to be the fact that a small fee is charged at the door of the halls where these spiritualistic seances are held, the assumption being that the gatherings are for money making purposes.—Chicago Herald.

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Price of Peanuts and the Big Fair.

The statistician has not yet attempted to say how many pints of roasted peanuts the vender at the World's fair will have to sell in order to make a comfortable profit on his investment. He has paid over $30,000 for the privileges of the grounds. It was believed that some shrewd speculator would try to corner the market when the sale of the privilege was announced, but nothing has been heard of such a proceeding. The crop of peanuts last year was over 8,000,000 bushels—that is, the American crop, which is grown principally in Virginia, the Carolinas and Tennessee. But there are hundreds of thousands of bushels grown on the western coast of Africa, and they might be imported in case of a scarcity at Chicago. The price of peanuts is likely to go up before the fair closes.—New York Tribune.

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Change of Schedule on the Pennsylvania Lines.

A change in the schedule of passenger trains on the Pennsylvania Lines, went into effect May 21st. Under the new schedule the time of trains at Lima, O., is as follows:

Depart for the West at 4:07 a m, 9:43 a m, 3:30 p m, 4:45 p m, and 11:16 p m.

Depart for the East at 7:30 a m, 9:30 a m, 2:40 p m, 4:20 p m and 9:39 p m.

The corrected card will be given in a subsequent issue of this paper.

B. H. OYLER,
T'kt Agt., Lima, O.

A Dairyman's Opinion.

There is nothing I have ever used for muscular rheumatism that gives me as much relief as Chamberlain's Pain Balm does. I have been using it for about two years—four bottles in all—as occasion required, and always keep a bottle of it in my home. I believe I know a good thing when I get hold of it, and Pain Balm is the best liniment I have ever met with. W. B. Denny, dairyman, New Lexington, Ohio. 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville, the druggist, next to post office.

Sucked Fish From the Lake.

Wednesday night a cyclone struck Portage lake and the surrounding country, doing great damage. At 8:15 a dark cloud swept up from the east, and the roar of the approaching storm could be heard 15 minutes before it struck the place. Barns, fences and houses were blown down, and sheets of water were carried from the lake over half a mile. Fish, large and small, were found next morning fully one mile from Portage lake.—Cor. Grand Rapids Democrat.

Should this catch the eye of any who need reliable advice regarding Nervous Prostration or Debility, Sleeplessness, Fits, Epilepsy, St. Vitus Dance, Palpitation or Fluttering of Heart, Nervous Troubles attending Change of Life, Sick or Nervous Headaches or any form of Nerve Disease, you can obtain advice and consultation *free of charge*, by writing the J. W. Brant Co., Albion, Mich., or 42 Dey St., New York, makers of "Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer." Explain case fully that the Doctor may advise understandingly. This great remedy for Nerve Disease, trial Samples or $1 bottles of Edman & Stout, Lima.

A Smoke Burning Furnace.

The agitation against the smoky furnaces of many of the large cities of the country has resulted in a large number of patented grates, steam jets and other devices to obviate the evil. One of the simplest of these has been designed by the chief engineer of the Rookery building at Chicago. The electric, elevator and heating plants in this large structure are necessarily of considerable size, and the boiler plant has been producing an objectionable amount of smoke. To prevent this smoke Mr. W. C. D. Gillespie, the engineer in charge, has built a furnace which has a large number of orifices in front of and over the grate. When coal is first thrown on the grates, air is allowed to have access to the flames until it is seen through a small peephole that the lightest products of combustion have been burned off.

Then one hole after another is closed until just the proper number remain open to feed the necessary amount of air to the flames. A furnace of this type has been in use for several months and is reported to have given perfect satisfaction. The use of peepholes enables the firemen to watch the character of the flame at all times, and the airholes enable more air to be admitted as soon as any smoke appears.—Exchange.

Japanese Women and Sorrow.

However often I have witnessed the death of dear relations—children, for instance, or husbands—I never had occasion to observe the wringing of hands to which European women of the lower classes are so much addicted. A bitter sorrow was expressed through deep sinking of the head, grasping the hands together shedding of tears. That strong mental agony which digs into the soul, so to speak, and takes hold of it like a bodily pain seems to be unknown to them. They never "turn to heaven their faces bathed in tears," an action which to us seems not only natural and in perfect accord with the essence of grief, but is considered as beautiful and as a worthy subject of artistic representation.

In prayers the Japanese mother does not lift her eyes to heaven. With bent head, the body somewhat shrunk together, with hands put together by the palms and slightly raised to the level of the chin, she sends her humble prayer, for quite concrete things, you may be sure, to Buddha.—"Geographico-Medical Studies."

The Basis of Colorado Wealth.

The total revenue from mining in 1891 was $33,500,000. And yet the Denver chamber of commerce estimates the income from agriculture at $40,000,000, derived from the cultivation of 2,000,000 acres of land. If the value of the live stock were added as a farm product, the sum would be increased by at least $15,000,000—a wonderful showing for so new a state.—Julian Ralph in Harper's.

A Giant English Oak.

"Winfarthing oak," according to reliable testimony, was 700 years old at the time of the conquest. William is said to have surveyed it closely before making his famous remark, "Could I live to be but one-fourth the age of this tree the world would be mine."—St. Louis Republic.

THE GAME OF BASKET BALL.

Interesting and Exciting Sport For Those Not Able to Exercise Regularly.

The announcement that at a woman's educational institution not far from this city the students played a close and exciting game of "basket ball" was perhaps the first item which attracted public attention to a sport that is rapidly becoming very popular in this country among those who have neither the physique nor the taste for baseball or football. The rules of the new sport are comparatively simple, and the ease with which the fundamental laws of the game can be acquired in a few minutes' practice have served to make it popular wherever it has been introduced, while its freedom from much of the roughness and intricacy of football has also tended to make the devotees of basket ball enthusiastic in their praise of its merits.

The name "basket ball" is derived from the fact that scores are made not by carrying the ball across the goal lines or kicking it over the goal bar as in football, but by throwing the spheroid into a moderately small basket, which is hung about 10 feet above the ground or floor. To accomplish such a feat usually requires much practice, and as a rule the try at goals are far more numerous than the scores. Either hand or both hands can be used in holding the ball, and it must either be thrown or be batted with the open hand—a punch with the fist or arm, or a kick, constituting a foul.

The game differs from football also in the fact that no player is allowed to run with the ball, but must stand where it is caught, and a fair catch can be made only with the hands. If the ball is held for an unnecessarily long time, the umpire takes possession of it and puts it "in play" by throwing it in the air, no player being allowed to touch it in such an event until it has struck the ground. If a ball goes out of bounds, it is put in play as in football, and no player is "off side," but every player has the right to touch the ball anywhere or everywhere in the game, provided the ball is in play.

No pushing, tripping, shoving or tackling is allowed, and every such offense constitutes a foul, which gives one point to the opposing nine. As a goal counts but three points and a foul one, there is every incentive to avoid rough play. The players advance the ball by tossing it to some member of their own nine, and there is the best opportunity for success in personal skill combined with good team play. The "forwards" and "centers" usually toss the ball forward, but when it gets dangerously near his own goal, the goalkeeper often bats it with the open palm.

One advantage which basket ball has over many other forms of popular sport lies in the fact that, while it allows 18 players to participate, it can be pursued the year round—in the open air during the warmer months and in the gymnasium while cold weather prevails. Again, basket ball can be played by persons whose physique is not of the most robust type, although many athletes also have found in it a healthful form of exercise. It has proved of great value in furnishing exercise for business men, women and children, as well as brawny students, and from the general success it has already attained wherever it has been introduced there is every probability that basket ball will soon become a very popular and widespread form of outdoor and indoor sport.—Boston Advertiser.

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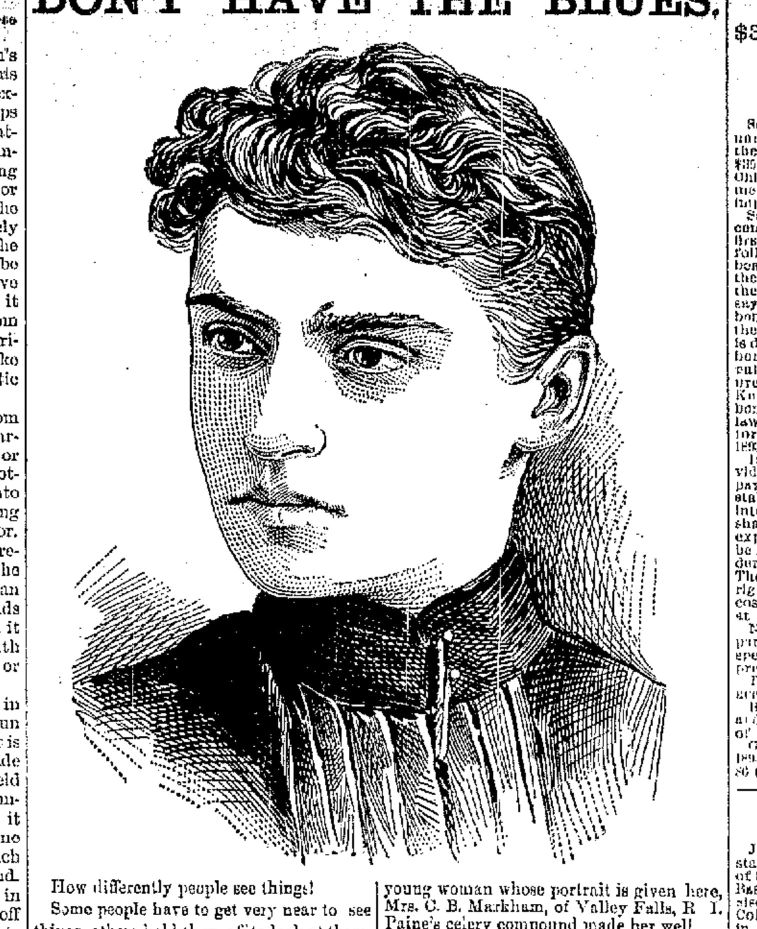

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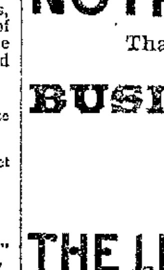

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$30,000.00 Worth of Bonds for Sale.

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Sealed proposals are invited at the above named office until 12 o'clock noon on Friday, the 30th day of June, 1893, for the purchase of $30,000.00 worth of bonds of the city of Lima, Ohio, issued in anticipation of special assessments made to pay the cost of the collection of improving the Public square in said city.

Said bonds bear interest at a rate of 5 per cent. per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of July and the first day of January following their date of issue, and said bonds bear date of July 1st, 1893. In accordance with the requirements of an ordinance authorizing their issue, and mature as follows, that is to say: One-fifth of the entire issue of said bonds matures on each and every year after the date of issue, and said series of bonds is divided into 20 bonds of $1000 each, and 20 bonds of $500 each. Both interest and principal are payable at the office of the city Treasurer of Lima, Ohio, or at the banking house of Kountze Brothers, in New York City, and said bonds are issued under the authority of the laws of Ohio, and an ordinance passed in conformity therewith on the 10th day of April, 1893, by said council.

In "Section 3" of said ordinance it is provided that "if any of the property owners shall pay the full amount of their semi-annual installments in cash to the Treasurer, less the interest included therein, the amount so paid shall be applied to the payment of the cost and expense of said improvement, and bonds shall be issued and delivered for the unpaid remainder of the total amount to be provided." Therefore, the Finance Committee reserve the right to deliver an amount equal to the whole cost of said improvement which is estimated at $30,000.00 or any part thereof.

No bids will be considered for less than the par value of said bonds, and all bids should specify the number of bonds bid for, and premium, if any is offered.

The Finance Committee reserve the right to accept any or reject all bonds.

Bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope and addressed to J. Boyd Douglass, City Clerk of Lima, Ohio.

Given at Lima, Ohio, this 2nd day of May, 1893.

86 tu w 4wks J. BOYD DOUGLASS, City Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE.

James E Bastable, of the city of Chicago, state of Illinois; Thomas Bastable, of the city of St. Louis, in the state of Missouri; Mary E Bastable, intermarried with ——— sleer, of the city of Denver, in the state of Colorado; Margaret Bastable, of Salt Lake City in Utah; Catherine Bastable, intermarried with ——— McKenzie, of Arizona; and John Flinn, of Solomon City, in the state of Kansas, will take notice that on the 20th day of May, 1893, Thomas Fitzgerald filed a petition in the court of common pleas of Allen county, against them, in which he alleges among other things, that he is the owner in fee simple of inlot No. 477 (old No. 20 in McHenry's addition) of the city of Lima, Ohio.

That on March 7, 1873, he executed and delivered to one John Flinn a mortgage for $3000 on the north half of said lot No. 20. That said Margaret Bastable was the equitable owner of said mortgage, and that the monies secured thereby were paid to her. That said mortgage remains of record vol. 10, page 480, of the mortgage record of said Allen county, Ohio.

That on the 16th day of October, 1875, he executed and delivered to said Margaret Bastable a mortgage on the whole of said lot for the sum of $2,000, which mortgage was recorded vol. 16, page 388, of the mortgage record of Allen county Ohio.

That said mortgages are both fully paid. That Margaret Bastable has refused to satisfy and cancel the same of record, and that they remain a cloud upon plaintiff's title to said premises.

The prayer of said petition is that the above named parties, heirs of Margaret Bastable, now deceased, be ordered to satisfy and cancel said mortgage of record and that upon their failure to do so, that the Clerk of said court enter proper satisfaction thereof, &c., and that the title of said premises be quieted against the claims of all parties herein notified.

Said parties herein named are further notified that said petition will be for hearing on and after the 31st day of July, 1893, and that they are required to answer by such time, or the same will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

THOMAS FITZGERALD,
Plaintiff.

By Robb & Leete, his Attys. 5 26 6wks

LEGAL NOTICE.

John Marsh, residing in East Nodaway, Adams county, Iowa, William Marsh, residing in East Nodaway, Adams county, Iowa. Benjamin Hurt, John Hurt, Lizzie Henry, Maggie Cummings, Joseph Hurt and ——— Hurt, all residing in Hendersonville, Sumner county, Tennessee, Solomon Argo and Alexander Argo, both residing in Champaign City, Champaign county, Illinois, Robert Hall, whose residence is unknown, Norville Hall, whose residence is unknown, James Fuller, whose residence is unknown, Edwin Hull, whose residence is unknown, the unknown heirs of Elizabeth Crysup, deceased, the unknown heirs of Elizabeth Grundy, deceased, and all heirs of David Marsh, late of Jackson township, Allen county, Ohio, deceased will take notice that on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1892, Mary E. Hedges filed her petition in the court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, in case No. 7621, against the above named parties and others, praying that the last will and testament of David Marsh, late of Jackson township, Allen county, Ohio, deceased be set aside. Said parties are required to answer on or before the 10th day of June, 1893, or judgment may be taken against them.

MARY E. HEDGES.

By Walter B. Richie, her attorney.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

N. West & Co., P'tff, vs. Powerville Felt Roofing Co., Def't } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a vendi exponas, issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale in the Chicago & Erie Railroad yards, near the crossing of South Main street and the Chicago and Erie Railroad, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio on

FRIDAY, JUNE 9th, A. D., 1893,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described goods and chattels, to wit:
Tank car No. 185, Powerville Tank Line, Powerville Felt Roofing Company, Limited
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Terms of sale—Cash.

LAWRENCE O'NEILL,
Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, May 25, 1893.
Wheeler & Brice, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

ROAD NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Allen county, at their next session, June, A. D. 1893, praying for the vacation of a county road on the following line, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the north line of the Ditto road on the east bank of the Auglaize river near the half section corner, between sections nine (9) and sixteen (16), town three (3) south, range five (6) east; thence in a northwesterly direction along the east bank of said river until it intersects the said Auglaize river and there terminate.

April 27, A. D. 1893.

Notice of Attachment.

Philo Bassett, Plaintiff, vs Alex Carson, Defendant. } Before J. D. Douglass, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

On the 9th day of March, A. D. 1893, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled cause for the sum of eighty-four dollars and sixty-seven cents [$84.67].

PHILO BASSETT, plaintiff.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Almond E. Hadsell, of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

WILLIAM L. MACKENZIE,
Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Almond E. Hadsell, deceased. 5 4-3w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of the estate of William R. Colvin, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

HARMON M. COLVIN,
daw Executor.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the estate of Valentine Wright, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

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Put the yolks of six an... two eggs into a pan with... good gravy or consom... stand till mixed; then st... some moulds lightly, fil... mixture and leave them ... till set firm. Turn out ... serve them with thick to... you please.

A Popular R...

The promptness and c... have made Chamberlain... famous. It is intend... coughs, colds, croup and... and it is the most effectu... for these diseases. Mr. ... Union City, Pa., says: ... on Chamberlain's Cough... rant every bottle and ha... one failing to give e... 50 cent bottles for sale... druggist, next to postoffi...

Strawberry...

One gill of butter, two... cup,) one cup of ripe str... white of one egg; cream... sugar; add the white o... very stiff froth, and the ... oughly mashed. Whe... gether, serve cold.

Everybody is asking ... "Will you attend the W... ought also to ask if you... of Chicago water and ... "bad medicine" for st... services are expensive... traveling, especially if ... will be wise to have ... *Extract of Blackberry*... ward off cholera. It e... edies for quick relief a... Dysentery, Cholera, Fl... Complaint and all Bowe... children or adults. Onl... & Stout, Lima.

NEW AND INCR... FACILI...

For Chicago and t... Via the Popula...

Beginning Sunday, M... be more trains and bett... any other line, and con... day, June 4th, the thr... will be run in both di... and all points south to ... No change of cars. ... agent for time and info... E. O. McCORMIC...

Free Samples of Dr. ... Nervine at Melville's... headache, nervousness, ... ralgia, fits, nervous deb... ness, poor memory, etc... markable recovery. C... Miles' Medical Co., Elk...

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NORTH BOUND.

	ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 14		8:10 a. m.
No. 22	3:41 a. m	3:50 a. m.
No. 4	8:59 a. m.	9:00 a. m.
No. 6	1:15 p. m.	1:20 p. m.
No. 16	6:00 p. m.	6:20 p. m.
No. 10 Stop at Lima	9:10 p. m.	
No. 60 Sunday only	7:35 a. m.	7:40 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

	ARRIVE	LEAVE.
No. 11		5:45 a. m.
No. 1	9:20 a. m.	9:30 a. m.
No. 5	12:25 a. m.	12:50 p. m.
No. 9	5:55 p. m.	6:15 p. m.
No. 7	2:00 a. m.	2:10 a. m.
No. 61 Sunday only		7:40 a. m.
No. 13 Stop at Lima	3:40 p. m	

No. 7 will carry the Chicago Sleeper.
No. 11 will make connections for Chicago, St. Louis and points west and south.
No. 14 will reach Toledo in time for all boats and make connections for Cleveland, Buffalo, Detroit and points east.

T. & O. C.

WEST BOUND.

	ARRIVE	LEAVE.
No. 7, mail	9:25 a.m.	9:40 a m
No. 3, express	1:00 a m	1:15 a m
No. 5, accommodation	4:45 p m	
No. 129, Minster accommodation		5.00 p m

Except Sunday, daily.

EAST BOUND.

	ARRIVE	LEAVE.
No. 6, accommodation	7:20 a m	
No. 4, mail	1:40 p m	2:00 p m
No. 2, express	7:40 p m	7:45 p m
No. 128, Minster accom.	3:20 p m	

P., Ft. W. & C.

EAST BOUND.

No. 4	7 30 a m
No. 20	9 30 a m
No. 8	9 20 p m
No. 22	6 07 p m
No. 20	2 40 p m
Local freight	6 00 a m

WEST BOUND.

No. 1	9 43 a m
No. 25	4 07 a m
" 9	3 30 p m
" 35	4 45 p m
" 3	11 15 p m
Local freight	7 25 a m

C. & E.

WEST BOUND.

No 5 Vestibule Limited, daily for Chicago and the West	2 02 p m
" 3 Pacific Express, daily for Chicago and the west	12 55 a m
" 1 Express daily except Sunday for Chicago and the West	10 40 a m
" 31	7:00 a

EAST BOUND.

No. 8 Vestibule limited	8 50 p m
" 12 Express	2 50 a m
" 2 Accommodation	3 36 p m
" 32	7 00 a m

LAFAYETTE NEWS.

Thomas Sevitz, of Delphos, was here to visit his mother, Mrs. Joseph Sevitz, who is quite ill from palsy. Mrs. Sevitz has been an invalid for several years and this is the second stroke. It is hoped she will rally from her present condition.

Joseph W. Velt, of the Tippecanoe Whip Co., was here this week.

Lafayette was visited by a very heavy rain and wind storm, which resulted in the destruction of quite a number of fruit trees, injuring many shade trees in Lafayette and overturning fences for the farmers.

Died on Friday afternoon, May 26, Henry Greenawalt, aged 80 years, 1 month and 14 days. The deceased came to Jackson township many years ago when this part of Allen county was merely a wilderness, and lived to see farm after farm cleared up and put under good cultivation, school houses built, frame dwellings reared, nine churches built, but after a long life he has died. Funeral services at Zions Evangelical Lutheran church on Sunday, conducted by Rev. F. P. Cook, after which the interment.

Died on Saturday morning, May 27, at 1 o'clock, Mrs. Kate Hall, aged 52 years. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church on Sunday afternoon conducted by Rev. Hall. Interment in Lafayette cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cover, Mrs. Samuel Foster, Mrs. John Cochran, Mrs. Andrew Shrider, Frank and George Cover, and A. Downhower, of Middlepoint, H. Downhower, of Paulding, were here attending the funeral services of Henry Greenawalt.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Savory Custard.

Put the yolks of six and the whites of two eggs into a pan with five ladles full of good gravy or consomme and let them stand till mixed; then strain them; butter some moulds lightly, fill them with the mixture and leave them in the bain marie till set firm. Turn out the custards and serve them with thick tomato or any sauce you please.

A Popular Remedy.

The promptness and certainty of its cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy famous. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and it is the most effectual remedy known for these diseases. Mr. C. B. Main, of Union City, Pa., says: "I have a great sale on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I warrant every bottle and have never heard of one failing to give entire satisfaction." 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville, the druggist, next to postoffice.

Strawberry Sauce.

One gill of butter, two gills of sugar (one cup,) one cup of ripe strawberries, mashed, white of one egg; cream, together butter and sugar; add the white of egg beaten to a very stiff froth, and the strawberries thoroughly mashed. When well beaten together, serve cold.

Everybody is asking everybody just now, "Will you attend the World's Fair?" They ought also to ask if you know the quality of Chicago water and are aware that it is "bad medicine" for strangers. Doctors' services are expensive in Chicago. In traveling, especially if you visit Chicago, it will be wise to have a supply of *Brant's Extract of Blackberry* with you. It may ward off cholera. It excels all other remedies for quick relief and cure of Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Cholera, Flux, Colic, Summer Complaint and all Bowel Troubles of either children or adults. Only 25 cents of Edman & Stout, Lima.

NEW AND INCREASED TRAIN FACILITIES

For Chicago and the World's Fair Via the Popular C. H. & D.

Beginning Sunday, May 28th, there will be more trains and better service than on any other line, and commencing with Sunday, June 4th, the through sleeping cars will be run in both directions from Lima and all points south to Chicago and return. No change of cars. Consult your local agent for time and information.

E. O. McCORMICK, G. P. and T. A.

Free Samples of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine at Melville's drug store cures headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, neuralgia, fits, nervous debility, sexual weakness, poor memory, etc. A new and remarkable recovery. Or address the Dr Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind. 4

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE MIGHTIEST MOVE

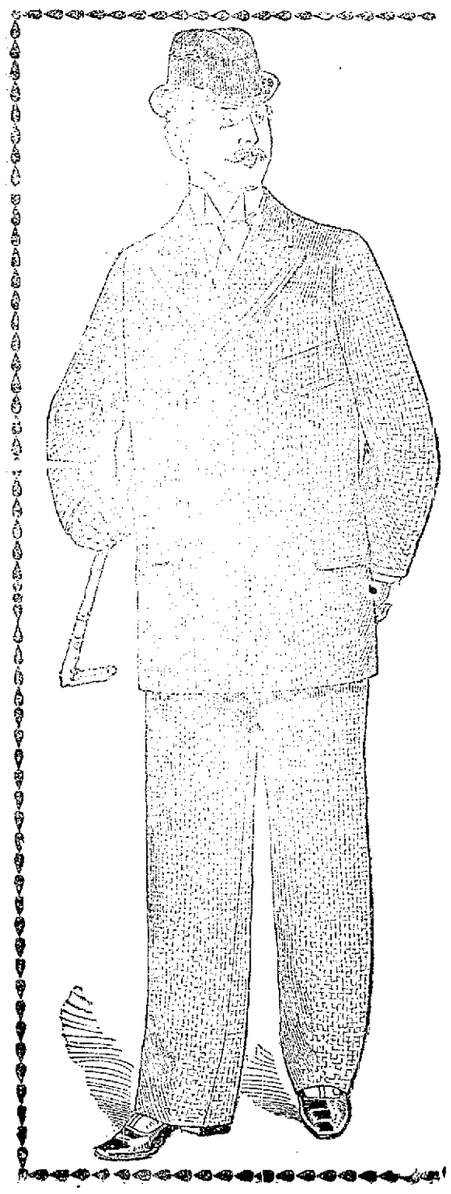
That was ever made in the annals of commercial enterprise. A Price crushing competition, Killing Clearance Sale on the threshold of the busy season, that will deal death and destruction to the high pricers' profits, put the quietus on the noisome commercial students and carry happiness to the homes of our friends and patrons.

Promptly at 7 O'clock To-Morrow Morning

We shall proceed to slaughter in a most merciless manner, every dollars worth of merchandise contained within the walls of our Mammoth outfitting establishment. Reserving nothing and giving the people of Lima and vicinity such magnificent values in Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods, as in wildest flight of fancy no sane Human being hoped to find, especially at the very dawn of the busy season.

The Reason Why!

At the close of our business last Saturday night, May 20th, a carefully taken inventory of the stock on hand showed Thousands of Dollars' worth of new and desirable Merchandise n THE MAMMOTH STORE. When the fact was communicated to the Eastern managers of the chain of stores of which THE MAMMOTH is one of the most important, they immediately decided tha wemst have money and lots of it at once, so they determined upon an immediate reduction of stock. They at once notified their manager here to force the immediate sale of Thousands of Dollars' worth of goods. The instructions are to sell them at once, absolutely regardless of cost or value. They must be turned into cash without delay, no matter how great the loss. Note the result. In accordance with instructions received we commenced the slaughter this morning, and we shall offer such values as never have been and never will be offered again in Northwestern Ohio.



Clear, Cold Facts.

THE CLOTHES
Both Men's and Boys', are the best makes of medium and finest Ready-to-wear Clothes in this country, and this country means the world, so far as ready made clothing is concerned. In the vast array of elegance and merit are to be found all the staple and novelty styles now in vogue in all the cultured centers of the civilized globe.

THE HATS
Stiff, soft and straw, for men and boys, are the most advanced styles on the market of the world, made expressly for us by such noted makers as Stettson, Christy, Youman, and the Manhattan Soft and Straw Hat Works, etc.

THE FURNISHINGS
For men and boys include all the desirable medium and fine grades of Underwear, Neckwear, Dress and Negligee Shirts, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Cuffs, and the thousand and one nicknacks that come, under the head, Furnishings, and this ruthless slaughter of prices is bound to make short work of the magnificent assortment.

Men's Medium Suits; all wool sack coat in single and double breasted are all going at **$10**
Everyone of them worth from $13 to $14.

For reasons of our own, one lot of Suits in dark and light colors are now going at **$7**

For reasons of our own, another lot of men's Suits in single and double breasted are now going at **$4**

Men's Fine Suits, in dark and light colors, single and double breasted are now going at **$12**
Every suit worth from $3 to $5 more than we sell them.

200 Men's Fine Suits in frock, sack, single and double breasted light and dark colors, are now going at **$14.48**
Everyone one of them worth $18 and $20.

250 Men's extra Fine Suits in light and dark colors, sack or frock, made of newest materials. Cheviots, Clay Worsteds, Cassimeres—every one worth from $3 to $5 more than we sell them.

All $2 and $2.50 Pants now **$1.73.**

All $3 and $3.50 Pants now **$2.48**

All $4 and $4.50 Pants now **$3.48**

All $5 and $5.50 Pants now **$4.48**

All $6 and $6.50 Pants now **$5.98**

All $7 and $8.00 Pants now **6.74**

Children's $2.00 and $2.50 Knee Pants Suits cut to ..... $ 1.68.
Children's 4.00 and 4.50 Suits cut to ..... 3.73.
Children's 1.25 Knee Pants Suits cut to ..... 98c.

Children's $3.00 and $3.50 Knee Pants Suits cut to $2.48
Children's 5.00 and 6.00 Knee Pants Suits cut to 4.73
Children's 1.50 Knee Pants Suits cut to ..... 1.23.

FREE! FREE! With Every Boys' Suit, Base Ball, Bat, Cap and Belt.

Attention, Comrades! A full line G. A. R. Suits always on hand.

THE MAMMOTH.

Attention, Comrades! A full line of G. A. R. Suits always on hand.

ELIDA NEWS.

Beautiful Memorial Services Held in which Both Young and Old Participated.

ELIDA, OHIO, May 31, 1893.

Henry Kuise and Daniel Myers left today for Stoutsville, Ohio, where they will represent the Lutheran Society of this place in annual synod which will be in session at that place from the first to the seventh of June.

B. S. Porter & Son, of Lima, in response to request made by our Board of Education, have kindly consented to place a new Everett Piano in the M. E. church, to be used by the orchestra on Friday evening next, during the commencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Long and sons Bert and Emmet, will leave on No. 3 to-night for the World's Fair at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leist, of Lima, are visiting Mr. L.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leist.

Mrs. N. Strayer, who has been suffering from a severe attack of lumbago, is reported to be much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Luttrell were summoned to Dunkirk on Saturday last to see Mr. L.'s father, the Rev. John Luttrell, who is dangerously ill.

Rev. D. R. Cook delivered the annual memorial sermon to the old soldiers of this place on Sunday last.

The band boys marched to Greenlawn cemetery yesterday and returned, a distance of three miles to decorate the grave of their comrade, Meeker John.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stewart, on Monday night, a bouncing boy.

Frank Hitchcock, brakeman on the P. F. W. & C, is at home on a short furlough. How many days, Frank?

Memorial services passed off quietly and to the satisfaction of all who participated. Committees composed of soldiers were sent to Dutch Hollow and Greenlawn cemeteries in the forenoon to decorate the graves. At 1 o'clock p. m. the old soldiers assembled at Dr. Hitchcock's office, from which, headed by the band they marched to the residence of Major Rice, where they filed through the old commander's room, each taking him by the hand and speaking a word or two of consolation and encouragement. From Major Rice's they marched to the school front, and while the band played, "Eternal Rest," these old warriors, decorated the monument erected in honor of the fallen heroes whose resting place is unknown. Rev. J. H. Hunton, of Lima, orator of the day, then delivered an able address which was listened to with marked attention. After a medley of national airs by the band, Miss Lenore Evans, of Lima, was introduced who recited in a most pleasing and impressive manner—"You Put no Flowers on my Papa's Grave." In the evening the band boys gave an ice cream festival which was well patronized.

FLEM.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

MAJOR REAM.

Captain Bell Defeated by Six Votes.

Later returns from the recent election of Major of the Second regiment, show Captain Bell, of this city to be defeated. Following is the vote:

Bellefontaine, Ream 43 votes, Celina, Ream 10, Bell 10; Van Wert, Ream 43; Tiffin, Ream 33, Bell 3; Ottawa, Ream 27, Bell 2; Upper Sandusky, Ream 1, Bell 30; Findlay, Ream 2, Bell 45; Kenton, Ream 37, Bell 36; Wapakoneta, Ream 1, Bell 60; Lima, Bell 55; Bloomdale, Ream 33. Total Ream, 230; Bell 224.

One Fare to Columbus, Ohio, and Return via the Baltimore & Ohio R. R.

On June 6th and 7th the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Columbus, Ohio, at a rate of one fare for the round trip, on account of the Republican State Convention to be held June 7th and 8th, 1893. Tickets will be good for return passage up to and including June 9th, 1893.

For further information call on or address any B. & O. Ticket Agent or L. S. Allen, Ass't Gen'l Pass'r Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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Suppose you had some good news to tell your friend; something good and true you wanted him to believe.

How would you go to work to win his belief in your story? You'd tell him simply directly what you know, and expect him to believe it.

Simply and directly, then, our Pants we're selling now at $2.00 are just right; cloth right, made right. Same way with our 48c Straw Hats.

But there's a way of compelling you to believe; bring back what you don't like.

Blue Suits with brass buttons to match at the right prices.

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Money loaned on real estate security in sums of $200 and upwards. Privilege given for partial payment if desired. Remember that I have the lowest priced money offered in Northwestern Ohio to-day. CALL ON ME.

E. L. GUNN,

Rooms 26 and 27 Opera House Block, Lima, O

Harley's Ice Cream Soda

—WITH—

CRUSHED FRUITS,

Is simply the best drink discovered up to the present time.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

George Hoefner has gone to housekeeping at 535 South Main street.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs J. Freisinger, of West Wayne street, died last night.

Hon. J. L. Price delivered the memorial address at Delphos yesterday afternoon.

Miss Rose Green, of Circular street, is rapidly recovering from her recent illness.

Billy Jones drilled in a gas well two miles northwest of Van Wert yesterday. It is reported yielding 500,000 cubic feet and will be shot.

The Boys Temperance Brigade meets to-night. A good program is prepared. No visitors allowed for the reason that there are not enough seats.

There is now room in Christ church vested choir for two or three boys from ten to twelve years, with good voices. Call upon the Rev. C. E. Crawford, rector.

Fitzgerald and Mumaugh, two of the boys arrested for breaking into a C. H. & D. car, were bound over to the grand jury by Mayor McComb this morning and jailed in default, while Comer and Heflern will go to the Reform farm.

Mr. R. L. Armstrong, of Fredericksburg, who has been first assistant undertaker for funeral director Perigo, of Chicago, for the past two years, arrived in this city yesterday and will assist his brother-in-law, J. E. Grosjean, in the undertaking business here, while the latter's assistant, Carey Williams, is spending a two weeks vacation at his home in Defiance.

RAIN.

Prevents the Lima Club From Winning.

The game of ball between the Lima and Celina clubs yesterday promised to result in a victory for the Lima boys when a storm came up with the game a tie in the sixth inning and two Lima men on bases. The score was 2 and 2.

A KID GAME.

A. Cunningham's Eagles were defeated by J. O'Brien's Stars in a game of base ball yesterday. The score was 46 to 13 in favor of the Eagles.

Batteries for the Eagles were O'Brien and Stars, for the latter Glisbey and O'Brien.

GRAIN MARKET.

The following gives the Chicago grain market for today:

	Open.	Highest.	Lowest.	Close.
Wheat—				
July	70⅝	71⅛	70⅛	71⅛
September	72⅞	71½	70⅞	71⅛
Corn—				
July	40	40⅞	40	40⅞
September	40⅞	42	41⅞	42
Oats—				
July	28½	29⅛	28⅝	29⅛
September	27⅛	27	26⅞	27
Pork—				
July	$20 80	$20 80	$20 80	$20 60
September	21 00	21 00	20 90	21 05

BOCHMAN Bros & Co.

Coffee

Remains high in this market in most of cases unless the dealer happens to be on the inside. The monopoly seems to have had their own way for months past. The Lima Tea Company, of this city struck it rich by a heavy purchase of green coffees at the time of so many failures of coffee dealers in New York three weeks ago. Commencing tomorrow morning, June 1st, they will put on sale a choice lot of Coffee fresh roasted at 22c.

OIL AND GAS.

Closing market, 57½c.

Buckeye Pipe Line runs May 29th, 57,420.22.

Notice.

Hereafter no meal tickets of L. Williams will be accepted for meals at 69 Public Square.

It L. H. SOLOMON.

Notice to Machinists.

All machinists are warned to stay away from the Grant Locomotive Works, Chicago. There is trouble there. 92-2t

Carpets!

Largest stock—Best makes—Lowest prices.—Best workmen, at Bell's.

Lump Glore Starch,

The best, six pounds for 25 cents, at the Lima Tea Co.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

Dr. R. D. Kable was in Dayton to-day.

Marsh Thomson spent Decoration Day in Troy.

Mrs. M. Ballard and daughter were guests of friends in Lafayette yesterday.

Misses Ida and Zoe Smith, of Van Wert, are the guests of friends in this city.

Wm. F. Hosler, cashier of the City Bank at Findlay, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Allie Duddy has returned from a visit in Kenton with Misses Mary King and Flora Wroten.

Mrs. Sherd McComb and children, of Minster, have returned home after a weeks visit with relatives.

James Lowery and wife, of Altamont, Ill., are visiting here. They were former residents of Allen county.

Miss Lenora Detwiler, of Sidney, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. R. T. Hughes, on West Spring street.

Miss Ida Belford has returned to her home in Columbus Grove after a few days visit with Misses Anna and Mayme McComb.

Mrs. Will Cantwell left last night for Chicago to be present at the graduation of her sister, Miss Mayme Hennessey, this evening from Lincoln park Sanitarium.

UPSET.

Several Drownings Narrowly Averted at McCullough's.

There came near being an awful accident at McCullough's lake yesterday afternoon about half past four o'clock.

Dick Davis, Joe Trout, Lou Ashby, Earl Mooney and two other boys were out in a boat when it was upset by Davis trying to recover his hat which had blown off. They were all precipitated into the water some distance from shore. Prof. W. E. Clark jumped into a boat and rowed out and was in the act of pulling one of the boys out when his boat was capsized. By this time Harry Johnson reached the scene and assisted by Mr. Clark the party were successfully landed on shore.

W. S. Lowe's steamer, loaded with a party of little girls, while going about ten miles an hour, ran into a row boat containing a gentleman and several ladies. The side of the boat was smashed in but the occupants were taken on board the larger boat and safely landed.

AN HONORED LIFE.

Such was That Lead by the Late Mr. John Shaw.

The Van Wert Bulletin contains the following regarding Mr. John Shaw's death, an account of which appeared in THE TIMES DEMOCRAT.

Mr. John Shaw is dead. Mention of his illness has been made in these columns, and his death will not occasion surprise. Nevertheless, the hundreds who have known and honored him for the years past will feel a profound sorrow that he is no more. Death may be attributed to a general failing of the vital forces rather than to any disease. From the first day that he sought his couch the physicians have had little hope of his recovery.

John Shaw was born in Stark county, Ohio, June 17, 1821. In November, 1843, he was married to Miss Eleanor Day, and in January, 1844, came to Van Wert county. In 1846 Mr. Shaw was elected county surveyor and served three years, resigning to serve as auditor, to which office he was elected in 1850. As auditor he served four years. In 1855 he was elected to the Ohio legislature for the counties of Van Wert and Mercer, and served one term. In 1874 he was a prominent candidate for congress but was defeated by Gen. A. V. Rice in the convention. When Mr. Cleveland was elected president in 1884 Mr. Shaw was the successful candidate for the postoffice and served as postmaster four years. His life has been a long and useful one. Although he suffered business reverses, none have ever questioned his integrity.

The funeral services of this pioneer were held at his home on South Washington street.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

Granville Beall, of the L E & W, went to Celina today, on a fishing excursion.

West bound passenger train No. 3 on the C. & E. was thirty minutes late last night.

Switchman Dave Brumbaugh, of the C & E, has returned here after visiting his sister in Buffalo, N. Y.

A gang of men commenced work cutting down the bank opposite the L. E. & W. dispatcher's office this morning

Fireman Fred Shaw, of the C. & E., is just recovering from a serious illness and has gone to Chicago on a pleasure trip.

"Dad" Day, formerly general yardmaster for the C. & E., passed through here this morning as conductor on the first section of train 85.

M. Bartholomew, formerly yardmaster at the L E & W., has accepted a position as conductor on the local between here and Tipton.

Brakeman Joe Shezly, of the L E & W, who has been laying off several weeks, on account of having his hands mashed, has returned to work again.

D. S. Peterson, for thirty years connected with the F F W & C, as supervisor between Crestline and Lima, has been let out by the company, on account of the recent wreck at Forest, the blame for which is laid to his not looking after the track properly.

You Will Find

The biggest and best 5c. hand soap at the Lima Tea Company ever put over the counter. It's a new piece of soap and worth your attention, the quality of which is away up in G.

ACCIDENTAL

Was the Shooting of Farmer Van Demark

Is the Claim the Condemned Man's Friends will Make

Before the State Board of Pardons Next Month.

They Seem to have Reached the Conclusion that Van Loon is the Man Who Robbed the Bank.

Murderer Frank Van Loon in order to escape the gallows, must walk from the annex on a spider's web, figuratively speaking.

The figure most forcibly presents the chances of the doomed man to escape the demand of the law which has been levied upon him.

True, it is, that his friends have not yet abandoned the effort from commutation, but so flimsy are the facts upon which they have found it necessary to work in his behalf that there is little, or no hope for their success.

Briefly stated, the only hope for Van Loon hangs upon a plea for clemency on the ground that the killing of Vandemark, the murdered farmer, was within itself purely accidental, the robbery of the bank by the prisoner being now admitted by those friends who have been most earnest and untiring in their efforts to rescue the condemned man

FROM HIS AWFUL FATE.

The robbery therefore being admitted and the murder constituting one of the incidents of that robbery, the prisoner having been engaged in an unlawful act when the killing occurred, it would be a most remarkable circumstance for a pardon board or a governor to intervene. One other point will be pressed in connection with the final stroke for clemency: That Van Loon has several times in his life shown evidences of weak mentality and while in a state of mental excitement induced by the harrassing of relatives, (by marriage or otherwise) he determined to raise money and selected the Columbus Grove bank as the place of his operations

It is urged that Van Loon's wife's people were bitterly set

AGAINST THE MARRIAGE

for the reason that the prisoner, as he is now, was not regarded as the equal of the young lady for whose hand he aspired. This displeasure of Mrs Van Loon's people did not cease, so 'tis said, after the marriage. The contempt which Van Loon knew to be felt for him, aroused his ambition to acquire money, which he believed would elevate him in the estimation of his wife's folks to a peerage with her. That ambition called desperation to its assistance and all respect to the law and happiness or life of others, which had before controlled the conduct of Van Loon, so far as is known, vanished. There was a determination to get money, which the prisoner, in his weak and uncultivated mind, fancied to be the guage of

SOCIAL STANDING.

The active friends of Van Loon say that Cashier Maple states that he believes the shot fired at him to be accidentally discharged by Van Loon. Maple says that Van Loon was in a terribly wrought up condition, trembling with excitement when he entered the bank and leveled the two revolvers at him, demanding a delivery of the money. He believes, so it is claimed, that the trigger was pulled unconsciously by the convulsions of the high tension muscles of the fingers. The theory to be argued by the friends of the murderer before the pardon board is that Van Loon, when he emerged from the bank door with the two revolvers in his hands, was either bent on bluffing the people outside or had determined to abandon the job. The revolver was accidently fired by the twitching nervous finger, and Farmer Vandemark fell a victim. They will contend that circumstances show that

MURDERER VAN LOON

did not deliberately aim at Vandemark, nor was there anything to be gained by his killing—a motive therefore being lacking, which is primarily essential in first degree murder cases. The friends for the murderer will claim that murder in the second degree is as great as the facts and circumstances warrant

It is only justice to Van Loon to state that as far as a knowledge of the writer goes, he himself does not admit the robbery, but that he is the right man is the conclusion which investigation has forced upon his friends

WILL BE BUILT

But Declares that It will not Be the C. H. & D.

A dispatch from Springfield contains the following confirmation of the statement made in THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT that the Ohio Southern will be extended to Toledo

President Saul, of of the Ohio Southern railroad, practically admits that the Ohio Southern will be built from Lima to Toledo, although he is somewhat non committal on the subject. He was asked by a reporter this morning whether it was not rather hazardous to parallel the C. H. & D., which also runs through the same territory to Toledo. His reply was that the C. H & D will not be paralleled, as there is plenty of territory for both roads. He further stated that he preferred to say nothing about the matter, as if the people who own the land in the vicinity where the road is to be built get an inkling of the extension they will run up the price of land He says there are several projects on foot in the matter.

The importance of the road to Spring field and this part of Central Ohio can hardly be overestimated, as it will give direct and quick connection with the lakes at Toledo.

From what can be learned at this end of the line, Judge Burke, of Cleveland, one of the promoters of the T & O C, is one of the interested parties in the Toledo extension and that the Ohio Southern will go into Manners city over their tracks.

STATE CONVENTION.

A Meeting Called to Decide When and Where it is to be Held.

The following call was yesterday addressed to the members of the Ohio Democratic State Central Committee:

LIMA, O, May 29, 1893.

The Ohio Democratic State Central Committee is hereby called to meet at the Committee rooms, 753 South High street, Columbus, Ohio, on Thursday, June 15th, A D, 1893, at 11 a.m. to fix time and place for holding the Democratic State Convention, and for the transaction of any other business as may come before it.

C. D. CARPES,
Ch'm State Central Committe.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES

Held by the G. A. R. and U. V U, Last Evening.

The U V U observed memorial day last evening with exercises in Trinity M. E. church.

The exercises were opened by prayer by Rev. Wiltsee, followed by music, recitations and addresses by Rev. Frenaun, and Messrs. Ellis and Morris, of this city, and Hon. A. R. Thomas of Fort Wayne.

MARY ARMSTRONG POST G. A. R,

together with the Woman's Relief Corps, decorated 243 graves with flowers and flags in the different cemeteries. The monument to the unknown dead was arranged and decorated in Cambrian Hall, where long before 2 o'clock, the hour set for assembling, the comrades and their friends began to gather, and it was found necessary to send away for more chairs before the exercises could be performed. This being done, the G. A. R. service to the unknown dead was held in due form, after which there was good speaking from the comrades and music prepared for the occasion. There was a resolution passed unanimously by the Post and Corps, thanking Rev. J. Francis Davies for the eloquent sermon delivered in the Congregational church on Memorial Sunday. They also wish to tender their thanks to the citizens of Lima for the liberal contributions made one year ago to the G. A. R., the surplus from which has enabled us to pay all expenses for decorating this year, with still a little sum left in the treasury. They also tender their thanks to the press for the courteous and liberal manner in which they have treated them in advertising, and we trust that in each recurring year, the same patriotic and liberal spirit will be shown them and their fallen comrades.

MORPHINE

Taken by a Wife as Her Husband is Dying.

"Billy" Thomas, well known about town, and who has been ill for some time, died at his home on East Elm street, this afternoon from pneumonia.

Mrs. Thomas dose of morphine immediately afterward and is in a precarious condition.

FAILED TO RETURN.

Liveryman Bacone, of South Lima, Missing.

He Leaves to Drive a Stranger to Kenton and Nothing can be Learned About Him.

The police have been notified of the disappearance of liveryman Bacone, of South Lima, and they have so far been unable to locate him.

Bacone left Monday morning to drive a stranger to Kenton and up to a late hour this afternoon had not returned.

He had a couple

HUNDRED DOLLARS ON HIS PERSON

and it is feared he has met foul play.

Chief Stockton telephoned the Kenton authorities inquiring whether he has shown up there or not, but they could learn nothing about him, and it is not known whether they reached Kenton or not

The affair looks suspicious, and unless word is received this evening, steps will be taken in an effort to locate him.

He has a family.

RAN 'EM DOWN.

Detective Harley Catches a Boy Tampering With Wires.

The P. F. W. & C. has been annoyed for some time with some one tampering with their wires, and several close calls from wrecks have been the result.

The trouble was finally located and Detective Jim Harley went over to Van Wert yesterday and found the trouble to have been caused by Chas. Lauer, a fourteen-year old boy, who would climb upon box cars and ground the wires by connecting the wires with the ground, and have fun shocking the boys.

Detective Harley arrested him and he will be sent up as soon as this confederates are located.

THE KIRMESS.

It Will Have its First Production To-Night.

The Kirmess, which has been the talk of the town for the last week will have its first elaborate presentation tonight. The following will be the order in which the dances will occur:

Neapolitan Fishers, Fishers' Horn Pipe, Japanese Dance, Japs Specialty, Venetian Gondoliers, Shadow Dance, Mandolin Club, Gipsy Dance, Tamborine Dance, Dance of the Rose and Flowers, Queen Bee Gavotte, Spanish Dance, Highland Fling, Minuet, Recitation, "Murphy's Minuet," English Peasants, Closing tableau.

Best of All

To cleanse the system in a gentle and truly beneficial manner, when the Springtime comes, use the true and perfect remedy, Syrup of Figs. One bottle will answer for all the family and costs only 50 cents the large size. Try it and be pleased. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co, only.

Choice Carolina Head Rice,

Five Cents, at the Lima Tea Co.

An Experiment in Daily Papers.

A singular experiment has just been made in London in an entirely new direction. An endeavor has been made by printing the paper of the latest evening journal to enable it to be read with comfort in a bad light. The tint which has been selected is green, but rays of this color are not present in abundance in most artificial lights As a result, with the bad, smoky flame generally met with in English omnibuses and railway cars, the paper seems to be of a dirty gray color, and were it not for the excellent quality of the paper and typeit would be very difficult to read.

It is found that under the electric arc lamp the green color shows up, and if the electric light were in as general use in England as it is in this country the result of the experiment would doubtless be more satisfactory than at present it appears to be.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Neither Dry Nurse Nor Hospital.

It is not the mission of the American nation to conduct a foundling asylum for decrepit countries. We cannot undertake to dry nurse abandoned national infants. It would be gratifying to Americans if every adjacent country were orderly, prosperous, well policed and free, but if any of them is not we cannot stop our business to set it right. That would be carrying paternalism rather far. It would assume that the United States are clothed with a duty which they could not properly fulfill without neglecting more imperative duties at home.—San Francisco Argonaut.

Unemployed of Chicago.

Isaac Trumbo, a western mine owner, who was in Chicago recently, said to a representative of the New York Press: "Chicago is overrun with idle men and women, some of whom are starving to death. The prospect of employment—that the World's fair would prove to be an El Dorado for those seeking employment—has drawn thousands of single and married men to that city. They had very little money, which they soon spent, and now they are suffering."

"Ladies" Fight a Duel.

A pistol duel has taken place between two ladies near Berlin, four other ladies acting as seconds. The ladies were not amazons, and owing to their awkward handling of the weapons the incident had no evil consequences, but it illustrates the progressive spirit of the time for women thus heroically to avenge their wrongs.—Exchange.

George Heywood was recently elected to the office of town clerk of Concord, Mass., for the forty-first time. The records of that office have been in charge of the Heywood family for more than a century.

Jesse Padgett, aged 65 years, and Nancy Tate, 60 years of age, both inmates of the Douglass county (Ga.) almshouse, were married in that institution a short time ago.

TO THE LORD

And the Cause of Civilization the Stone is Laid.

The Ceremonies Attendant to the Laying of the Lima College Corner Stone.

A few minutes before 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, President Ackerman, of the Lima College, opened the services which were to mark the dedication of the corner stone of their new building, now in the course of construction, just west of the city.

There was a large crowd in attendance, and after reading a scripture lesson and invoking

THE LORD'S BLESSING

upon the ceremonies and the College, the stone block was placed in its position Inside was lowered a large copper box, air tight, in which was deposited a copy of THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT, Gazette, College Herald, Lutheran Herald and Kirchenzeitung, names of the faculty, architects, contractor, donors and a number of coins.

President Ackerman then dedicated the building to be erected to the Lord and civilization, after which the doxology was sung, and the crowd dispersed to Market street Presbyterian church, where the dedicatory services were held.

Services opened with the singing of the Hallelujah chorus by the Choral Society, after which there was a scripture lesson by Rev. Swinehardt, of Piqua, and more singing.

The

ADDRESS OF THE DAY

was delivered by Rev. S. P. Long, of Columbus, and was a very masterly effort.

Hon. I. S. Motter followed Rev. Long in some appropriate remarks regarding the benefits derived by mankind from education. His talk was a very interesting one and full of good solid instruction.

A piano duett by Misses Ackerman and Lehman was followed by benediction, which concluded the ceremonies of laying the corner stone of another solid intellectual institution in Lima.

No North, No South.

The debate on the question whether the south is worse than the north or the north is as bad as the south in the matter of lynching criminals is neither edifying nor profitable.

It makes not a particle of difference whether the mob in Michigan which burned a white woman was more malevolent than the Texas mob which roasted a negro. They were both mobs, and they both committed an act which is a disgrace to nineteenth century civilization.

We have a system of justice, and the forms prescribed for it should be rigidly followed in all sections of the Union. There are delays in the administration of the law which are sometimes exasperating, but their tendency is in the right direction—namely, to give the accused every possible opportunity to prove his innocence. It is far better to be slow in such matters than sorry, for it has more than once happened in the history of this country that an excited crowd has got hold of the wrong man.

Mob rule means disorder, and it should be discouraged by every patriotic citizen. As to north or south, there is no chance for controversy. As to executing a criminal and acquitting an innocent man—these are the important and the only important matters to consider.—New York Herald.

Fishermen in the Cabinet.

Mr. Cleveland has, it appears, gathered into his cabinet an unusual number of fishermen. The fondness of the president for angling is well known. Last summer he wore his old clothes and fished in Buzzard's bay without much attention to the campaign. Mr. Herbert is said to be a fisherman of great skill and infinite patience. Judge Grosham, too, knows how to bait a hook. It is said that he has not been above fishing for perch off the piers about Chicago. Mr. Lamont knows how to fish, because Mr. Cleveland has taught him. Mr. Morton has not lived in a good fish country, and it may be that he has only fished for canned salmon in Nebraska groceries.

Mr. Bissell probably knows a few things about this idyllic diversion, but if he and Mr. Olney are ignorant of the game they can be taught. Potomac shad fishing is a good primary branch of the sport, and a planked shad is a real luxury. It is not safe to make a guess about Mr. Smith, but from his pictures we suspect that he will be able to contribute some valuable fish information to the cabinet circle of anglers.—Indianapolis News.

A Fitting View of the Naval Display.

New York has celebrated. In a drizzling rain, under soggy awnings, with flags drooping dismally to their staffs and with the red on cheap printed cotton running in gory stripes across wide expanses of dirty white into fields of grimy blue many thousand inhabitants of New York have stood for a day on stinking wharves to view the maneuvers of a few ships of war and a few excursion boats monopolized by millionaires and exclusive society people.

The vessels thus under survey by the assembled loads of New York were from one to two miles from shore, which is about as near as the mob in New York ever gets to any scene of importance, whether it be a wedding or a naval review.

They were such vessels as may be seen at almost any time in almost any port in the world. Most of them have been seen in New York harbor before now, but on this occasion New York, big with expectation and self consciousness, imagined that it was celebrating; that in some manner it was putting an extinguisher upon Chicago; that in a few dreary hours of rain and fog and powder smoke along the slimy docks of the North river the majestic festivities of the entire Columbian year were to have their beginning and their ending, and that when New York's celebration had closed nothing would remain deserving the attention of mankind. Probably the world never saw and never again will see so colossal and yet so pitiful an exhibition of impudence, ignorance and folly.—Chicago Herald.

Permanent Clambake For London.

The next exhibition at Earl's court, where Buffalo Bill was wont to sport his Indians, will be a "world's water fair," arranged and to be managed by Captain Paul Boyton, the famous channel swimmer. There will be a lake over two acres in extent, which will contain three islands, and in a tunnel running under one little isthmus will be held a "clambake"—a contract having been made for a constant supply of clams from the United States.

On one of the islands will be erected a model of the famous Chateau d'If, and at every performance will be enacted the famous scene from the "Count of Monte Cristo," the impersonator of the count being an accomplished swimmer, who, after remaining under water as long as he can, will release himself from the sack in which he is enveloped and make his reappearance. Captain Boyton's company will consist of 150 performers, not to mention a boat's crew of trained monkeys. This ought to be an attractive show.—American Register.

Dead Timber at the Capitol.

It has become plain to the employees of the government that it is the intention of members of the administration to give the various departments a thorough cleaning and to set the stump pullers and scythes to work as speedily as possible. Yesterday's conversation between a chief and his subordinate is an instance in point.

"Who is this Mrs. So-and-so? I see by the rolls that she has been drawing an annual salary of $1,800 for five years."

"She is not here much of the time."

"What does she do?"

"She dresses nicely."

"Why is she not discharged?"

"We would have a row on hand. She is the sister-in-law of Congressman Blank."

"Mark out her name. She would have to go if she were the sister-in-law of Andrew Jackson and Thomas Jefferson rolled into one. The people employed in this department will earn their money or be given a chance to earn it somewhere else."—Washington Letter.

War Against the Gypsy Moth.

An appeal is made by the state board of agriculture to all citizens, and especially farmers, fruit growers and horticulturists, in the eastern part of Massachusetts to lend their aid in the warfare against the gypsy moth this year. The appropriation made by the legislature for the extermination of the moth is not sufficient to admit of making a thorough search over this part of the state; hence this solicitation for assistance. Mr. Forbush, who is director of field work under the special committee having this matter in hand, writes that thus far the moth has not been seen outside the region where it was found in 1891, not withstanding all reports to the contrary.—Boston Commonwealth.

Ocean Travel In View of the Fair.

While the great World's fair will naturally have a tendency to detract from eastward travel, the falling off in the latter will be more than compensated by the westward rush from all parts of Europe. The early date at which the fair opened will prove a good thing for the steamship companies. It gives the usual European tourists time to see all that is to be seen at Chicago and not spoil their European jaunts. A canvass among the agents of the transatlantic lines shows that the first part of the season will be an "average one" for eastward bookings, but what contingencies may arise to divert eastward travel is hard to predict now.—Steam and Sail.

Historic Desks In the Senate.

In the moving around of desks and seating of new senators there have occurred some queer swaps. The historic desks of Sumner, Webster, Henry Clay and others are considered great prizes, and if a senator secures possession of one he clings to it as long as his term lasts, as is witnessed by the fact that in the latest change Senator Hoar continues to ling Sumner's desk around with him. The surprise came when some one wanted to see Roscoe Conkling's desk. It wasn't where it was expected to be, and the doorkeepers, who have private marks by which they recognize historic furniture, couldn't find it for a long time.

When they did discover it, there was a gasp, for the desk of the noted New Yorker was found to be occupied by Senator Murphy of the same state. Just how Mr. Murphy captured such a prize the officers who have charge of the seating don't know, but he has it, and every one to whom the incident is told has some wise remark or other to make about the vicissitudes of time.—Kate Field's Washington.

Naturalization Refused.

Judge D. R. Hindman of Boone, Ia., has refused to grant naturalization papers to Peter Simonson, a Dane, though he was properly qualified. The judge asked Simonson if, in case of a war between the United States and Denmark, the petitioner would, if necessary, bear arms for his adopted country and fight against his native land. Simonson declared that he would not, whereupon Judge Hindman refused to issue the papers, stating that "the time had arrived when no person would be aided in this court to become a citizen unless he was willing to stand by the government under all circumstances and at all times." The action of Judge Hindman creates considerable comment. Simonson, the petitioner, is a man of excellent standing and would make a good citizen, his refusal to pledge himself to bear arms against Denmark being based on the fact that his relatives all reside in and are subjects of that country.—Cor. Chicago Herald.

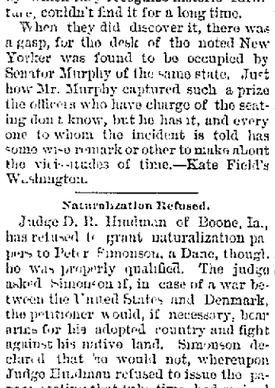
It Isn't New.

Writers of today talk of the flapdoodle nonsense indulged in by New York women over Paderewski, the eminent pianist, as though it were some new thing—some novel development.

That's nonsense.

When Gottschalk was here some 25 years or more ago he was mobbed by the fashionable people of the day precisely as Paderewski is now. It isn't because Paderewski is or Gottschalk was a pianist. It is because he is a unique individual.

The Prince of Wales was followed when he was a lad just the same way. Actors go through this experience of embarrassment and annoyance. The late Henry J. Montague was accustomed to utilize a private place of exit from Wallack's theater to avoid the silly gushers who wanted to look at him. Kyrle Bellew was feted in the same ridiculous direction. There's nothing new under the sun, particularly when you are treating of long haired men or short haired women.—Joseph Howard in New York Recorder.



Clifford Blackman

A Boston Boy's Eyesight Saved—Perhaps His Life

By Hood's Sarsaparilla—Blood Poisoned by Canker.

Read the following from a grateful mother: "My little boy had Scarlet Fever when 4 years old, and it left him very weak and with blood **poisoned with canker.** His eyes became so inflamed that his sufferings were intense, and for seven weeks he

Could Not Open His Eyes.

I took him twice during that time to the Eye and Ear Infirmary on Charles street, but their remedies failed to do him the faintest shadow of good. I commenced giving him Hood's Sarsaparilla and it soon cured him. I have never doubted that it **saved his sight,** even **if not his very life.** You may use this testimonial in any way you choose. I am always ready to sound the praise of

Hood's Sarsaparilla

because of the wonderful good it did my son." ABBIE F. BLACKMAN, 2386 Washington St., Boston, Mass. Get HOOD'S.

HOOD'S PILLS are hand made, and are perfect in composition, proportion and appearance.

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NEW STYLES

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LADIES' LOW SHOES.

Prince Alberts. Southern Ties. Edson Ties. Oxford Ties,

Russia Oxfords, Tan Bluchers, Juliets. Kid Bluchers.

All Styles,

All Widths,

All Sizes.

PRICES TO SUIT EVERYBODY.

GOODING'S,

230 NORTH MAIN STREET.

The Telephone Monopoly.

From 1887 to 1892, a span of five years, the American Bell Telephone company raised its capital stock from $9,893,100 to $17,500,000, or nearly doubled it. It has issued $2,000,000 debenture bonds and it has added $1,615,163 to its "patent account." In this five years, and these the last years of its chief patent, it has added $11,314,063 to the capital on which it collects money and takes in profits from the public. It has added 55 per cent to its net earnings, which have risen from $2,210,596 in 1887 to $3,411,676 in 1892, and its dividends, which were $1,568,808 in 1887, were $2,019,090 in 1892, or nearly doubled.

Now, the American Bell Telephone company holds one-third of the stock of the local companies and charges them a royalty for the telephones into the bargain. By this ingenious plan every man who pays $120 a year for the privilege of saying "Hello" first and later using stronger language pays the American Bell Telephone twice. He helps to earn one-third the dividends of the local company for stock on which no cash was paid and by which dividends the Bell received $1,422,018 in 1892 against $1,013,636 in 1887, and he pays his share of the $3,303,753 received for rental of telephones in 1892, one-fourth more in 1887 when $2,264,823 was paid.

The local company makes money, no doubt of that, but by the time it has paid over dividends on one-third its stock, paid the rental of its telephones and met the charges of new plant and so on in putting its lines under ground, it is making a great deal less money than the large charges would appear to indicate. By this double arrangement the real offender, the American Bell Telephone company, is screened from the public which uses its telephones, and the real cause and source of high charges is effectually concealed and protected.—Philadelphia Press.

The Belgium Strike.

The strike of the workingmen of Belgium is the most remarkable in all history. It was not a strike for higher wages, for shorter hours, or for any of the things for which "labor movements" are planned. It was a strike to compel the granting of political rights to the people. The demand was for the suffrage, and the workmen refused to work until the parliament gave what they asked. For nearly a week all business in the kingdom was brought to a stand. No work was done. The idle thousands, worked upon by the socialists, were easily led to violent demonstrations. Dynamite was used.

There were conflicts between the populace and the civic guard. Blood was shed and revolution with arms threatened. Just in time to avoid anarchy, the parliament yielded, and universal suffrage was granted the people of Belgium. The strike for self government succeeded. This is the most significant political incident of late years in Europe, not only in its methods, but in its result.—Boston Commonwealth.

Primrose Path For Fiery Duchesses.

"Duchesses to the rescue!" is the cry of the Duchess of Portland. Her grace sees in the home rule bill "red ruin and the breaking up of laws," and with this awful but somewhat hazy vision before her she urges every man and woman in England to be "up and fighting." As political guides, I hardly recognize duchesses, but as social factors they are powerful and ever will be so long as they and flunkies continue to exist.

But apart from flunkyism duchesses are generally pretty women, because the man who can confer on a woman the title of duchess has a very wide field of selection.

I would therefore suggest to her grace of Portland that she should organize a duchess troop to go about the country and hold unionist meetings. Their speeches would probably not carry conviction with them, but their good looks would insure attendance.—Henry Labouchere in London Truth.

A Backward Season.

A cool spring has greatly interfered with the selling of seasonable goods. Shoppers are not inclined to buy freely of cottons and summer silks when many are still wearing furs and heavy flannels. The weather is a great factor in selling goods, as all dealers know, but the effect is felt more among retailers than jobbers and wholesalers. The two latter classes sold freely in anticipation of the season, but the retailers have not got rid of much that they then bought, owing to the dilatoriness of spring.

The business through March and April was not up to expectations. But just about so much must be sold anyway, and the bulk was simply shifted to May and June. Each shopper buys, more or less, as she needs the goods, and the need of summer garments or many for spring has not been felt yet. But warm days must come, and with their coming stocks will move that may now seem stationary.—Dry Goods Economist.

Building Inspectors Don't Inspect.

The falling of buildings in the various large cities is becoming more and more a common occurence. Building is now reduced to an exact science, and whenever a structure falls, except from a tornado or an earthquake, it is through criminal carelessness and nothing else.—St. Paul Globe.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

SPECIAL

STRAW

HAT

SALE.

Commencing To-day.

Nobby Styles in Men's and Boys' Straw Hats at

ED. WISE,

Daylight Clothing Store.

Lima House Cor.

THE SOUTH SIDE.

Mrs. Hermann Klage, of Greenlawn avenue, is visiting friends and relatives in Wapakoneta.

Mrs. Thomas Strehl, of Second street has returned home, after a few weeks' visit among relatives in Grand Rapids, Mich.

The funeral services of Mrs. Emma Garton, who died Sunday night at the residence of Mr and Mrs. Thomas Mason were held from the house, 380 South Pine street, at 8 o'clock this morning. The remains were interred in the old cemetery.

The following young people composed a surprise party upon Miss Lulu Howard, at 312 South Pine street last evening, the occasion being her sixteenth birthday:

Messrs. Charley Railing, Charley Anderson, Jonas Keifer, Harry Vannatta, Frank Wheeler, Eddie Railing, Roy Boyton, Will Lawrence, Fred Cook, Arthur Stukey, Jess Car, Frank Harshman, Loral Christian and Harry Unkenholt, and Misses Teiod Unkenholtz, Mary Gallant, Dora Newbright, Florence Fritz, Maud Lawrence, Alice Fisher, Minn Hindman, Belle Railing, Katie Wood, Blanch Esset, Bess Howard, Moll Stein, Mable Moore and Lulu Howard.

A Medical Success.

The France Medical Institute, 38 and 40 West Gay street, Columbus, Ohio, is open for the visits of patients from nine in the morning until nine in the evening. Those patients who live sufficiently near will generally find a personal interview to their advantage, either at the Institute or with one of the physicians who makes regular visits to your town. The physicians in charge fully appreciate the feelings of their patients and endeavor to give entire satisfaction to the large number constantly under treatment. That they are successful in this respect is conclusively proved by the letters on file at the Institute from old patients and giving names of friends to whom they wish treatment sent. They do not claim their work miracles, but do claim in all honesty and candor to cure cases that are at all curable. Let those given up by others call for free consultation. —Dispt.

DR. OTTMAN.

Formerly of New York, now of THE FRANCE MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTE, Columbus, Ohio, by request of many friends and patients, have decided to visit Lima, Thursday, June 1. Consultation and Examination free and strictly confidential in the private parlor of the Lima House from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. One day only.

World's Fair Rates to Chicago, Ill., Via the Baltimore & Ohio R. R.

On April 25th to October 31st the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will sell excursion tickets to Chicago, Ill., at very low rates on account of the World's Columbian Exposition, to be held May 1st to October 31st, 1893.

Tickets will be good for return passage to and including November 5th, 1893.

For further information call on or address any B. & O. ticket agent or L. S. Allen, Ass't Gen'l Pass'gr Agent, Chicago, Ill.

Wapakoneta Races.

June 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9. Big purses, good horses. You will miss something good if you do not go. The C. H. & D. will make rate of 55c. for the round trip.

E. O. MCCORMICK.

A Pointer for Travelers.

While Mr. T. J. Richey, of Altona, Mo, was traveling in Kansas he was taken violently ill with cholera morbus. He called at a drug store to get some medicine and the druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy so highly that he concluded to try it. The result was immediate relief, and a few doses cured him completely. It is made for bowel complaint and nothing else. It never fails. For sale by Melville, the druggist, next to post office.